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POLITICAL.

Continuance of Expert Testimony in the Guiteau Trial.

The Assassin Creates More Scenes in Court.

Eads' Ship Railway—Congressional Proceedings—Political News—Washington Gossip—Capitol Notes.

The Guiteau Trial.

WASHINGTON, December 13.—Dr. Spitzka resumed his testimony in the Guiteau case today. Corkhill took a slip of paper upon which was drawn a diagram of the human head and said:

"Now, Doctor, supposing this to be the prisoner's head, will you please point out the inequalities to which you referred yesterday?"

Before any reply could be made Guiteau raised a laugh by saying:

"That accounts for it! A hatter came to see me this morning and offered me a hat if I would let him take my head. I got the hat, but you don't pay for it, Corkhill. Oh, no! the Government will have to do so."

Witness went on to give his reasons for considering the prisoner insane. Upon a question being asked by Corkhill, Guiteau broke in with: "I have been looking up your record, Corkhill, and I'll show you up."

Subsequently Guiteau again interrupted the examination and shouted: "I see that crank Talmage has been doing some sensationalism business in this case. He had better go slow. He has been before his synod several times for lying, and has a reputation in New York for running a fast house of prostitution. I have got my eye on several of these cranks, and if they don't go slow I'll give some more of them some free advertising. The high toned portion of the American people are beginning to take the right view of this case."

Scoville endeavored to introduce as evidence what he (Scoville) had said in relation to Shaw a witness for the prosecution by asking witness to state to the jury what he (Scoville) had told him, witness said he had learned in regard to Shaw.

Objection was made and sustained, when Guiteau shouted out: "We have found out that Shaw was guilty of perjury in New Jersey and was told by a judge from the bench that he ought to be convicted and sent to prison. We also know that English was convicted of a low crime in Ireland. The jury ought to know what kind of witnesses you are bringing here to ruin my reputation."

Witness thought the proper way to summon experts would be for the court to summon them irrespective of the chances of what their testimony might be. Corkhill insisted that witness had attacked the character and honesty of the experts who were supposed to entertain an opposite opinion from himself on the prisoner's sanity. Guiteau interrupted in his most angry mood, and shaking his head at Col. Corkhill shouted, "It is the unanimous judgment of the American people that you are a consummate jackass, Corkhill. This gentleman is an honest man, and if your skull was not so thick you would see it."

Witness desired to explain his position and said: "I do not hesitate to reiterate my opinion that an expert who will in this court testify that the prisoner is sane, is, in my opinion, no expert or a dishonest one."

Dr. Fordyce Barker, of New York, was next examined. The audience listened intently as the distinguished physician defined insanity and several phases thereof. Dr. Barker's comprehensive and positive conclusions were all in accord with the theory of the prosecution. Judge Cox requested the witness to explain to the jury what he meant by irresistible impulse, and the answer was: "Perversions of emotions to such a degree as to produce conduct entirely at variance with the individual's former life, and to such a degree as to control the will power, would constitute an irresistible impulse."

Guiteau: "I want to ask you, where a man is impelled to commit a crime by an impulse he cannot resist, is he sane or insane?"

Answer: "When that fact can be proved, sir, it is insanity."

Guiteau: "That's just my case, sir" (with an air of perfect satisfaction). Then turning to Scoville: "Come, that's the whole case. Let's have a recess—I'm getting hungry."

Mrs. Scoville desired to ask a question.

Guiteau (impatiently): "Oh, you keep still; it's all they can do to put up with me."

Judge Cox assented and Mr. Scoville asked: "Can a man be born insane?"

Answer: "No, madame. He could be born an idiot or an imbecile. Insanity is an acquired state after birth." Recess.

Eads' Ship Railway.

WASHINGTON, December 13.—Vest to-day introduced the Eads bill for the construction of a ship railway across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec. The bill provides that Eads shall first demonstrate the practicability of the scheme by expending $75,000,000 in preliminary work and that when the plan is proved practicable Congress shall guarantee bonds to the amount of $100,000,000.

PENSION FRAUDS.

Davis, of West Virginia, will submit a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Interior for detailed information in regard to the pension frauds, which have been practiced, what has been done to prevent frauds and punish the offenders, etc. This resolution is to pave the way for an investigation of the pension frauds by the Senate Committee on Pensions.

CONTESTED SEATS.

There is a quiet talk among some Democrats of the House in connection with the coming contested seat cases about the report that Curtin and other Democratic members from Pennsylvania are threatening to retaliate upon the rebel brigadiers for voting against Curtin in his contest for Yocum's seat in the last Congress. Curtin and his friends allege that the ex-Confederates voted against him because of his record in the war as Governor of Pennsylvania and his services in putting down the rebellion. Chambers voted against Curtin Belzhoeve, and other Democrats will in retaliation vote against Chambers when the contest for his seat comes up. There have been threats indulged in, and some Southern Democrats are stirred up about the matter, and if retaliatory action of that sort begins they will keep it up. A Southern member said this morning that the time for the Northern Democrats to dictate to the Southen was passed; that Northern Democratic interference and dictation drove Mahone out of the party and would drive more out.

Approved by the Committee.

WASHINGTON, December 13.—The Senate Committee on Finance approve Sherman's bill for the issue of 3 per cent bonds. Secretary Folger will appear before the committee on Thursday and give his views on the subject.

A Strike at Blaine.

WASHINGTON, December 13.—The introduction of the resolution to-day in the Senate calling for copies of all the correspondence between the State Department and the Ministers to Peru and Chili in relation to the affairs of those governments is said to be a strike at Blaine from the Stalwart quarter. It is claimed that Blaine has only given out such of this correspondence as tends to relieve the State Department of the responsibility for any misunderstanding, but that the entire correspondence will show that the best advices to the United States were against the course adopted by Blaine, and that the State Department is to blame for the trouble.

Morrison, of Illinois, introduced a bill to reduce all tariff duties to 10 per cent.

Civil Service Reform.

WASHINGTON, December 13.—Pendleton, in the course of his speech on his civil service bill, referred to a publication in favor of civil service by Dawes, and called Dawes a theoretical reformer. Pendleton said the Republican party didn't want legislation to enforce their civil service reform. Dawes retorted claiming he had sincerely advocated the reform of legislation and believes in the right. Dawes will probably reply to Pendleton.

Placed on the Retired List.

WASHINGTON, December 13.—The Chief Naval Constructor, John W. Etzby, was to-day placed on the retired list.

XLVII. CONGRESS.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, December 13.—Senators Maxey, Vest, Groome and Ferry presented petitions for the prohibition of unjust discriminations in railroad charges.

Senator Hoar, from the Committe on Rules, reported back the resolution for a select committee of seven, to be appointed by the chair, on the extension of suffrage to women or the removal of their legal disabilities. He asked unanimous consent for the present consideration of the resolution and Senator Vest objected.

Senator Ransom submitted a resolution constituting a select committee of five to inquire and report as to the condition of the Potomac River from the city of Washington, the navigability of said river, the effect of bridges across the same upon navigation, floods and the health of the city and what action ought to be taken in the premises, etc. Adopted and Senators Ransom, Jones (Nev.), Kellogg, Conger and Vest constituted the committee.

At the close of the morning business Senator Pendleton took the floor upon his bill to regulate and improve the civil service. He defined the spoils system thus: "The universal rule—if there be any exception it only emphasizes the rule—is service and office, partisan work and official salary as pay and a change in the office-holder as soon as the salary shall have been paid for the work or a better or newer worker appears." He traced Guiteau's motive in shooting President Garfield and said: "The fact is patent that he wanted an office and did not get it, and he believed the President was responsible for his failure. He wanted a new deal, a new distribution of offices. He believed a new President would make a new distribution, and that he would have another chance. The desire for office and the belief that he had earned it, the belief that the President could and ought so divide the spoils among victors, the brutality of our politics, which traduces the character and vilifies the motives whenever a difference of opinion or action exists—these made his crime possible; these made it possible for the assassin to assert that he thought he was doing his party and his country a service; these are the festering beds in which such fools are born into such madness and such schemes of wicked devilry are hatched. The act of Guiteau is exceptional. The causes which constituted to it are imbedded in our system and are ever present." Of the effect of the spoils on public men and public service Senator Pendleton said: "This system drives Senators and representatives into such a position that not only do they neglect the duties of legislation but too often they are tempted by their friends and supporters and are almost coerced to make the support of an administration conditional upon obtaining offices for their friends. Nor is this all or even the worst. This appeal to the love of money and the love of patronage as stimulants to exertion creates a fierce and brutal party spirit which stops at no wrong in the accomplishment of its end. It makes an intellectual exercise of the elective franchise impossible. It makes a free election and fair count impossible. It levies contributions upon the salaries of all offices and expends the vast sums thus collected in corrupting votes. It lowers the tone and degrades the sentiment not only of public men but, more important still of the whole people behind them. We must supplant this system. We must chase it out with hue and cry. In its place we must put another and better system, founded on the idea that public offices are public trusts, to be administered solely for the public good; that the fittest men shall administer them until still fitter and better men shall be found; that offices have no right to be except that the faithful execution of the duties attached to them necessary to public welfare and the maximum of efficiency and minimum of cost constitute the condition on which they should exist. We must establish the idea that the business of fifty millions of people must be transacted by business men upon business principles and all the more rigidly and faithfully because it is the business of the people." Pendleton then explained at length the scope of his bill, saying he invited criticism and the discussion of it. He closed as follows: "I appeal to the Senators on the other side of this chamber. You have the Administration; you have the offices; you are enjoying the power and emoluments. This bill does not disturb you in the possession of them. And I appeal to the Senators on this side of chamber. We are in the minority; we have no offices now. The chances of time will sooner or later put them within our grasp. Let us now declare that we will have none of these offices except those which may be won by merit. Let us give this in earnest of our sincerity in our great reform. Let us give this token of purity and patriotism of our coming administration of the government. Let us convince the people, even our opponents, that we contend for power, not that we may enjoy the emoluments of office, but that we may lead the country in the pathways of advancement and beneficence under the inspiration of true Democracy. Patronage, however pleasant for the moment is a curse to any man or party. Let us put it behind us now. Let us do the right now. Let us destroy it now, and we will in future reap our full inestimable reward in having disengaged our party and our President from the influences which will surely plant the seeds of early defeat in our coming victory and in having saved our country from the perils which now environ it."

Bills were introduced and referred:

By Senator Vest: To incorporate the Inter-Ocean Ship Railway Company; also, for commissioners to ascertain what just claims for the services by officers and privates of military organizations in Missouri in suppression of the rebellion, in concert with and subject to orders of the United States authorities, still remain unpaid and not assumed by said State.

House.

Mr. Taylor offered a resolution which was unanimously adopted for the appointment of a select committee of eleven members to audit all claims for services and expenses growing out of the illness and burial of the late President Garfield; also to consider what allowance of pension or privilege be granted to the widow and family of the late President.

Mr. Robeson offered a resolution for the appointment of the following special committees On census; reform in the civil service; on the law respecting the election of President and Vice President; epidemic diseases; inter oceanic ship canal; payment of pension, bounty and back pay.

Senator Knott objected to the resolution on the ground that the majority of the committees were unnecessary.

A resolution for the appointment of a committee on census was adopted.

The following bills were introduced and referred: For the settlement of the Mississippian claims; to repeal the internal revenue taxes on matches, bank checks, snuff, cigars and spirits distilled from apples and other fruits.

By Mr Selby: To equalize homesteads; to graduate and reduce the price of [illegible] lands to actual settlers.

By Mr. Page: To restrict Chinese [illegible] emigration.

By Mr. Morrison: To reduce the tariff duties on imported goods 10 per centum.

By Mr. Springer: For the [illegible] telegraph lines, property and effects [illegible] information concerning the [illegible] agents in other countries.

A VIGIL.

I have been kneeling since the early dawn
Here by the couch of love, who lies so still;
His lids have not once stirred to call of mine,
His voice is still.
My heart throbs with the old impassioned heat,
My arms are eager—yet he does not rise;
I cannot weep—See Love (once mine),
I cover up your eyes.

Hush! let him lie—let him lie there alone,
Slain here before me while my youth was glad;
If I should stand, with stern averted face,
I should go mad.
But now—it does not matter—I can smile—
I, who shall never more know kisses sweet,
I can kneel here with hot and tearless eyes,
Here at his feet.

When I first saw him lying cold and dead,
Who, yesterday, was strong and fair with life,
I fell down in the dust (once e'en the dust
With bloom was rife
Where his feet trod), and, falling, bruised this rose
Of tender laurel, trampled heedless down.
What matter to a woman laurel-leaves,
Unless Love crown?

He kissed it once—this leaf of bitter day,
And so I wove it, smiling, in my hair,
And wore it in the world's eyes, glad and proud.
But my brief share
Of joy is done—complete. I'll have it so.
Here in Love's bosom hide I this dim bay;
Sleep well, O Love! Sleep well, O cruel Love!
Quick! Come away.

FANNY DRISCOLL.

CAUSES OF DISEASE.

What Dr. Speed Thinks of Over Eating —Valuable Hints.

From the Savannah News Report.

To make the old familiar and the familiar new is said to be a triumph in writing or in public speech. Old and very familiar ideas may be placed in near relationship, and truth may be evolved from them which enter into and become a part of our philosophy of life. As sanitarians, we dwell with especial emphasis upon all the conditions outside of the man—what we call his surroundings. Earth and air, light, and drainage, and cleanliness, are words which we find everywhere, in books, in pamphlets, in public address, and in private speech, and they are not words merely. They are the words which are things. No respectable sanitation without them—infinite disaster without proper attention to them—not single disease only, but pestilence comes in the wake of persistent disregard for them. But are there no other factors that enter into the conditions of man's best being? Is there nothing on the inside of the man the out-crop of which tells upon his physical weal or woe? Are there no central fires quite as destructive, aye, infinitely more destructive than the miasms which spring from August suns upon putrescent swamps? What do you say to the appetites and passions? How shall we exclude them from our consideration of the sanitary influences which build up or pull down—enrich or pauperize human organization—and thus shorten or prolong human life? While we assign all proper importance, then, to facts of man's surroundings, let us not forget that on the inside of him there are forces which tend largely to shape his destiny as a physical being, lifting him from better up to best, or poisoning and blighting the very source of his vitality and blotching him with a curse as deadly and more far-reaching than the Egyptian leprosy—and these diseases are preventable. Let us look for a while at the eater—the human anaconda who eats to repletion and stupifies through digestion. Has he done a hygienic thing? Has he not done a very unhygienic thing—a thing which, if repeated, lays the foundation for more troubles than Pandora loosed from her fatal box? What consideration has such an eater ever given to the fact that hunger and appetite are very different states; that hunger is natural and appetite is artificial; that hunger is nature's demand for fresh building material; that appetite is a craving for the fripperies and gewgaws of society life; that hunger is physiological and pathological—the one easily appeased, the other well-nigh insatiate; that the one sustains and buoys and carries you through the years, that the other depresses and overwhelms you with a burden which you cannot bear; the one gives you renewed vitality and physical satisfaction, the other gives you a morbid stimulation which, like the daughters of the horse-leech, constantly cries, "Give, give."

It is not necessary in a presence like this to make a picture of the dyspeptic—the doomed, the despondent, the pitiable spectacle of him whose stomach is forever crying "Remorse, remorse," nor of the gouty man, whose feet tell of his table debauch, nor of the heart-troubled man, who dies daily, and is afraid of everything except his dining-room. All doctors are familiar with these miserable existences. Where are the Pontine marshes more disastrous than these feeding-halls which pander to stimulated appetites?

By drainage you prevent the deadly emanations of the one; what prophylaxes do your sanitary tracts suggest for the other? You drain your marshes to prevent fever, you vaccinate your children to prevent small-pox, you quarantine the ship to prevent yellow fever—what do you do for the man whose stimulated appetite demands all the products of all the continents? You save to the family and to the State the vigorous young man and the beautiful girl by your speck of vaccine, and all men give you thanks. What do you offer to the insane eater who rushes headlong toward the precipice, over which he drops into dyspepsia or gout, and then totters through life a driveller and a show, a whining burden to himself and a tax upon society? We talk about remorse of the stomach. Why should the stomach feel remorse? Remorse implies a consciousness of wrong-doing. It has done no wrong. Indeed it has labored very faithfully to do exactly right. It has poured out its gastric juice and held steadily to its true motions month after month, and year after year, grinding every grist brought to it as long as the power lasted. It has prepared all conceivable things for enriching the blood which went to brain and heart and lungs, but now the power to turn all this confused mass into nutriment ceases, and you charge remorse upon the overworked old mill. It is the artificially stimulated palate, not the natural demand of the stomach; it is the love of high-seasoned dishes, the morbid appetite, not the healthful hunger of the man. Let the worm bite there, and it does bite there. The impoverished blood, the palpitating heart, prove it; and the disordered mental visions, the morbid conceptions, the vague apprehensions, the inability to think, the cowardly dread of unseen dangers, all show where remorse is. The vulgar habit of much eating, driven by stimulating appetite, stands as the criminal before the bar of hygiene, and under law receives its punishment. Sanitation can't abrogate the law, but, with absolute certainty, can prevent the crime. Infinitely simple is the advice; rather hard, perhaps, the acceptance and the practice of it. Satisfy your hunger, but don't sit an hour at home to gratify your appetite.

Dr. Beaumont has very clearly shown in his experiments upon the soldier Alexis St. Martin the distinction I make between hunger and appetite.

After an abstinence of longer than ordinary duration, when the demands of the organization had set up that peculiar sensation called hunger, Beaumont introduced through the other external opening in his stomach the simplest form of food, and the sensation was allayed. No particle of food touched the palate. The appetite was not consulted, and yet hunger was appeased and the organism was satisfied. Leaving out altogether the multiplied experiences of medical men all over the world, this soldier experiment alone is enough to establish the physiological fact that hunger is easily satisfied. Let sanitarians stick a pin there. The artificial appetite goes on in its cravings—dish after dish, each more highly seasoned than the last—peppers and mustards and Worcestershire sauces, and radish and cayenne pepper, each hotter than the other, till the whole organization is ablaze, which the victim attempts to allay by wine and spirits, which only add fuel to the flame. Tell me this is rational? Is for this? Three hundred and sixty-five times in a year repeat this, and live? Is it not a monstrous perversion of all reason, a square infraction of law, and leading rapidly and with absolute certainty to disaster and overthrow? The reckless floater above Niagara is no more certainly nearing the fatal plunge than the lawless feeder whose whetted appetite drives him to his destiny. Is there no room here for sanitary law? No room here for preventive measures? Of all sources of disease this fronts us most directly and most constantly. Those of us who attempt to teach health laws to the people have grounds here for very emphatic speech.

The pained faces of personal friends crowd upon every medical man who hears these words—friends who laughed an incredulous laugh years ago when cautioned against much eating. They were younger then, and thought that their stomachs would last forever. Just as the young spendthrift who has inherited a few thousands imagines that no possible lifetime can exhaust his fortune, and yet by a few years of riotious living has become a bankrupt. So this splendid digestive apparatus at twenty-five feels all sound and capable of standing any sort of draft—any sort of imposition—finds the sad mistake disclosing itself slowly but very surely. The clouds gather, the winds come from their secret hiding places, the storm bursts upon the appetite victim and he is overwhelmed and helpless—helpless and miserable—miserable beyond the reach of medicine. Don't we all recognize the pitiable creature? Insatiate desire for food with no ability to manage and no resolution to resist it. Like the young spendthrift he is a bankrupt—a spectacle to be pitied—a driveler and a show. It is the necessary result of violated law. Law is inexorable, and its infraction brings punishment with the certainty of destiny, and that destiny is not far to seek and not at all uncertain is the highway leading toward it; bowed and haggard and weary is the crowd which presses on and on, driven by a Nemesis pitiless and unrelenting. Melancholy spectacle to Health Congresses and State Boards and common sense men! Blind infatuation drives him to deeper depths and lays up a keener remorse. "Lucullus sups with Lucullus to-night." The market of the Eternal City has been searched for all that was rare—the culinary art was taxed to its utmost—the banquet was spread in the gorgeous hall, and the liveried servants announced that all was ready—but where are the guests? "Lucullus sups with Lucullus to-night," said the old Roman gourmand. That race is not extinct. The world's markets are taxed and the tables groan under an exuberance which would have astonished the Roman debauchee; and these tables are sought by men who are recognized gentlemen. If they were not known as gentlemen the outside world would call them gluttons. Money and markets and cooks and rich condiments pander to their orgies in public restaurants and gilded saloons. Lucullus' habits have seized upon this continent, and foreign writers brand us as we deserve. May we not erase the brand? May not sanitarians put pown dyspepsia and gout among preventable diseases? Unquestionably if any diseases are preventible by hygienic usage, these two, in all scientific and in all common sense view, must take high rank on the list.

There is another aspect of this question which I wish to emphasize before this Health Association.

Whatever organ may be involved, if the malady is at all grave, we all. Look to a good digestion for hope.

Thus the stomach becomes the best therapeutic agent we have, while all other organs are in their place supreme. It is to the digestive functions that we look for continued and healthful action.

Take a case of phthisis—pulmonary consumption. You do not medicate the lungs; all your remedies and your regimen are addressed to the stomach. Suppose it revolts. What are your oil and whisky and beef worth if the stomach fails to furnish the building material in such shape that the lacteals take it up and the organism appropriates it? With all the two thousand drugs of the pharmacopœia and all the skill of the most accomplished doctor, your case of phthisis goes steadily down where the digestive powers have failed. Tubercular consumption is so intimately associated with the status of the stomach that it would not be far wrong to reduce to an axiom this—given a good digestion, and tubercle is impossible.

Take a case of scrofulous ulcer. Do you doctor the ulcer? The hoi polloi do. But do educated physicians? Do yo prescribe patent and neighborhood salves or powders to heal up a sore, back of which stands and works a vitiated organization? Isn't there a force back of the visible morbid result which is constantly spending itself upon the glands and joints and tissues—a force which first makes the ulcer and afterwards keeps it open? A healthy wound you may rapidly close up by adhesive inflammation or granulation, but this is a healthy wound—but an ulcer, which is the result of blood vitiation, you don't expect to close by local interference. You want to make good blood, and good blood will carry material for repair, and that reparative material is the only salve which closes up your scrofulous troubles. Now, in order to thus better blood you must depend upon digestion and assimilation. and here you see coming to the front the stomach as a therapeutic agent. Very surely, if you have not a good digestive apparatus, your case of knee joint or glandular swelling or other scrofulous developments is not in the way of recovery.

I think we may safely claim that the stomach at last is the great rebuilder of broken-down organization. If the stomach is also broken down, where is the hope for your dilapidated structure? It is a wreck and presently goes to dust. Let us adopt preventive measures then—preserve digestion at its best, and take off from the list of causes this habit of over-use.

Murdered in Prison.

New York Special to Chicago Times.

A Sun special from Sing Sing says that an Italian in the State Prison on a life sentence for a former murder killed Charles Williams, by whose side he was working, this morning. Between the mess-room and the kitchen is a room where twelve or fifteen men are engaged peeling potatoes all day long. Among them to-day were Orofrio Mangano and Angelo Corinetta, Italians. Williams, a colored man, was washing potatoes near by. The dispute was begun by Cornetta, the younger Italian, who asked Williams why he did not help peel potatoes instead of washing them, at the same time calling Williams an offensive name. Williams resented the insult, and struck Corinetta with a small slat from a tomato-box. Corinetta struck back with the heavy board he had been sitting upon, and Mangano pitched in with a broom. Williams tried to run, and, as the two Italians followed him, Joe Colburn, the prize-fighter, who was in the room, pushed Mangano aside. He, however, eluded Coburn and overtook Williams. Only one man of all who saw Williams fall saw the knife in Mangona's hand. In an instant he had dashed his blood-stained knife in a barrel of water, and was seated again before his potatoes, busily peeling them. Williams died three minutes after he was stabbed. Williams was twenty-nine years old. He was sent to the prison in June last for throwing vitriol upon his wife. Mangano and Corinetta have have been locked in dark cells awaiting the result of the Coroner's inquest.

Gambetta's Picture.

Paris Correspondence Cleveland Leader.

To-day he made a speech relating to the affairs at Tunis. He is a peculiar genius, and to look at him one would not say he was an extraordinary man by any means. There is an Ohio Democrat, John Zimmerman, of Wooster, who looks much like him. He is a fair, rosy-cheeked, iron-gray-haired man of between fifty and sixty years. His face is large, round and is bordered with fringe of whiskers. His hair is sleekly combed back from his brow, and it curls behind like the locks of a Shaker elder. He speaks in a dignified manner, and when most enthusiastic enforces his remarks by pounding on the desk with his right hand. To-day he elicited much applause and some laughter, and carried his point with his usual majority.

"THE BENDS."

Peculiar Disease Among Laborers in the Hudson River Tunnel.

From the New York Herald.

The men employed in the tunnel now being constructed under the bed of the Hudson River have of late become subject to a peculiar and painful ailment that is thought to result from the compressed air by the aid of which the tunnel is being constructed. The complaint is a sort of curvature of the spine, and those attacked with it are bent up like a half open jackknife and suffer excruciating pain. Mr. George F. Seward, the secretary of the tunnel company, said yesterday to a Herald reporter that the company has now about two hundred men employed in the tunnel, who work in eight-hour shifts, of which there are three each day. Some of the men have been at work since operations were first begun under the river bed two years ago. Many of them get no more wages than they could get on the surface, yet they prefer to work in the tunnel to working on the surface, because they work only eight hours, while those on the surface work ten or eleven hours a day. He never heard any complaint from the men, and believed that working in the compressed air was a matter of no concern to them at all. Recently an old man named Atkins, who had been employed in the Virginia mines, was engaged to work in the tunnel, and was taken sick after a few hours. Dr. Bell, of Jersey avenue, who attended him, informed Mr. Seward that he thought that Atkins was suffering from some organic trouble of the heart and that his physical condition was such that it would not be safe for him to take any chances. Since then, Mr. Seward said, Atkins has been employed on the surface.

On Tuesday last a man named John Dancy was employed to work in the tunnel, and when he came out it was found that he was suffering from the sickness which is known among the workmen as the "bends." Foreman Hurley said to the reporter yesterday that Dancy's attack was the result of his own rashness in going into the tunnel without being in proper condition. The workmen in the tunnel are required to be temperate and before venturing through the air-lock are expected to have a full share of sleep and not to have an empty stomach. Mr. Hurley says that Dancy had been on a spree for several days, and when he applied for work the tunnel foreman was not aware of that fact. It was Dancy's first experience in the tunnel chamber, and when he was relieved after the eight hours' work the cold current of air in the air-lock coming out produced an attack of the "bends." He rubbed the man with arnica for abouty twenty minutes, and then. Hurley says, he got up and walked away. Mr. Hurley said that the men are not subject to the attack while at work, but only when about to pass out of the lock to go into the cold air current. Even then, he says, the attack only occurs when the workman has been neglectful of himself.

Dancy, the man who was suffering from the complaint on Tuesday, was taken to the Charity Hospital, where he received medical attendance. Not being a resident of Jersey City, he was sent to the Commissioners of Charities in this city. Dr. Mahon, of the Jersey City Hospital, who attended Dancy, said yesterday afternoon to the Herald reporter that they have attended about a dozen cases of the "bends" in the hospital, and he declared, in contradiction of the tunnel officials, that the sickness results from working in the compressed air. "The peculiar action of the air on the nervous system," said the physician, "affects the muscles, causes cramps in the lower extremities, creates a nervous affection, and sometimes results in congestion of the lungs. In the latter case it becomes dangerous." Dr. Mahon said that he understood that the tunnel people practiced rubbing with liniment those who were attacked with the complaint, and in some cases this was sufficient to relieve them; but in severe cases the patients were taken to the hospital, where friction and a galvanic battery were applied. The length of the treatment varies frem one day to a month, sometimes two months. The physician said he knew one man who was attacked with the complaint last spring. It developed into congestion of the lungs and the man is not yet entirely recovered. The attack is attended with great pain from the hips down, but is mostly around the knees. The first case brought to the hospital, he said, was the worst that has thus far came under his observation. The victim was unconscious, and was unable to move his limbs. In his experience with the peculiar complaint he said that he did not discover that it differed materially in its attack on temperate or intemperate men. He was fully convinced that it was due entirely to the compressed air from its manner of attack—first on the limbs, then on the lungs and bladder.

When asked if there was any technical name for the complaint, Dr. Mahon said that although he had read the symptoms up very thoroughly, he found no name for it, and was of the opinion that these cases were the first of the kind on record.

Love's Accidents.

Jos. Medill in Chicago Tribune.

"You have broken my heart, Vivian." It was a fair-haired girl who spoke those words, and as they came from her lips Vivian Mahoney, the young man to whom they were addressed, leaned tenderly over Ferida Peterson, and strove to kiss away the tears that were welling up in her beautiful, dreamy, brown eyes.

"I do not blame you," she continued in a broken voice. "She whom you will one day wed is fair to look upon, and when her warm kisses melt upon your lips it is not strange that you forget all else but that she would gladly be your wife, and that her father owns a coal yard. But I love you with a mad, deathless passion that will burn out my life in the intensity of its flame. You have won my Scandinavian affections unwittingly, but you have won them, all the same. In the years that are to come, Vivian, when your children are playing at your knee and life seems like a fair dream, you will sometimes think of me—sometimes let a tender thought lie in your heart for the little flaxen-haired girl that knew no happiness so great as to hear your voice and see the gleam of the matinee tickets in your vest pocket? Tell me this, and when the leaves have turned brown under the blighting touch of autumn's chilly hand, and I shall have been put away forever in the little dell beyond the meadow, you will lead to the altar a happy bride and never know the sorrow I have felt."

"By yon bright moon, I swear," said Vivian, taking another kiss on the fly, "that your memory shall ever be enshrined in my heart. Though my life be one of tempest and storm, or a succession of sunny days, I shall always remember that you were my first, my only love." He was about to imprint another kiss on the rosy lips upheld to his, when a dull thud was heard at the rear of his pants, and Vivian lay senseless on the sidewalk.

Old Mr. Peterson had opened the front door and adjourned the meeting.

Big English Thieves.

From the New York Times.

The adage of its being an ill wind that blows nobody good found singular illustration lately in the case of the great diamond robbery at Hatton Garden, London. For the last two years Gibson and Arthur Reeve have been carrying on business as pawnbrokers in that city, and between them had run some $40,000 in debt. A petition in bankruptcy had been presented against them, and under these vexatious circumstances they had deemed the traditional course of the Arabs their soundest policy, and instead of foolishly frittering away money in the payment of creditors "silently stole away" with nearly $15,000, with which the enterprising pair doubtless intended to embark in business in the congenial atmosphere of New York. But in the most annoying way in the world the Hatton Garden thieves must needs choose that precise time for relieving the Post-office of $200,000 worth of diamonds. Of course, an alarm went to Plymouth, among other ports, the Reeves were "spotted" as suspicious, and presently down came an officer of the London Bankruptcy Court and took them and their cash off to town, thereby depriving New York of two valuable citizens. No such ill-luck seems to have befallen the diamond robbers, who in all probability reached this city in one of the recent tempest-tossed steamers, and are now looking for fresh fields to conquer. Indeed, whether here or in London, plate and jewel robbing seems to be among the most successful of modern business pursuits, and evidently attracts the master burglarious minds of the period. It is to this branch that the Turpins and Kidds of the nineteenth century now turn their attention, and among its charms is doubtless the opportunity it offers to various kind of talent. Sometimes it takes the form of a brace of young bloods with Duval-like courtesy relieving a lady of her solitairies at her own door, so that sofa and sal volatile are immediately at hand to allay fatigue and excitement. Again, a comfortable maintenance for life is secured by a ladder to the window, and ten minutes at a millionaires's dressing-care, without in the slightest degree disturbing the household, meanwhile absorbed in the chief prandial event of the day. At Lord Edwin Hill-Trevor's last week the results of attendance at church were seen by the abstraction of the jewels while the family were at divine service. The danger incurred by first-class thieves of this sort is largely diminished by the fact their plunder is so valuable that risks need seldom be run. In fact it is notorious that they think nothing of spending six months on one "lay," and with a haul of perhaps $75,000 to $100,000 to look forward to, they can well afford to lean on their oars and scheme. After all, poverty has its consolations. and it is something not to have any plate or jewels to be bothered about at a period when robbery has been reduced to a science and so many have graduated as first-class in it.

Gentlemen's Fashions.

From the New York Herald.

Gentlemen are emerging from the plain dark clothes worn so long to bright colorings now so fashionable in ladies' dress. Three different classes of goods are often seen in one suit, and the scarf or necktie of the most flaming hue. Moorish and Oriental colorings and designs are shown in the various styles of neckwear, and the fashionable vest is in bright and pretty tints. The prevailing style of vest is single-breasted, without collar, closing high and cut short and straight across the bottom. Double-breated vests are not worn. Garments of all kinds have never been worn as high at the neck as now. There is a tendency to put flat braid on almost all classes of goods except fancy suitings. Braids of various widths are used, the six and eight line being most in favor. The tight trousers are cut by all the fine trades in New York, and such a thing as loose pantaloons is not known; but this is not the case in London, as the leading tailor there cuts the trousers as loose as were being worn here years ago.

Fancy mixtures are in demand for frock suits, sack suits and overcoats. Light gray mixtures with smoth surface are used for dressy overcoats, and green also is in favor. The general tendency is for fine goods, yet the Scotch suitings are more popular than they have been for several seasons past. Pin checks are still in fashion, and some make them in cutaway coats to be worn with trousers and vest of one color. For overcoats there are Elysians, Shetlands, fur beavers and Montaignacs, and many kinds of plain goods. An exceedingly stylish suit has just been finished for a gentleman of small stature of the following description: The trousers and vest are of black cloth. The three-buttoned cutaway is in blue and black check. With this will be worn a black satin scarf to change with one of blue satin. The overcoat worn with the suit will be of light "livery" color, lined with silk of the same hue, and a velvet collar to match. The overcoat is cut in single-breasted sack. The effect is extremely stylish, and appropriately worn by any dressy gentleman under forty.

The entire suit made of one kind of cloth is only admissible for business purposes or traveling. The double-breasted sack suit is cut with a light double-breast and narrow lapel, with five buttons to close. It is shapely at the back and the sleeves are cut small and crooked. (All sleeves, including overcoats, are cut thus.) The cuffs are stitched on about two inches deep and finished with one button. For a man five feet eight inches the fashionable length is from twenty-nine to thirty inches. These sacks are usually made of fancy suiting. Young men who find the sack coat particularly becoming can wear it in three different kinds of goods—the coat of fur beaver, Elysians or any kind of the fashionable goods, the vest of fancy cassimere, and the trousers of something in fancy striped material and cut tight. The double-breasted pea jacket, with patch pockets, will be worn made in heavy overcoating, blue fur beaver being a favorite. These are lined throughout with silk and trimmed with braid. They are extremely becoming to tall young men, and when worn with a Derby hat are quite effective.

The Excellence of Our Trotters.

From the London Field.

The excellence of trotters descended from Messenger, the sire to whom almost all the American trotters trace their pedigree, is sometimes attributed to the fact that this famous sire had in him a strong cross of Barb, as distinguished from Arab blood. The Darley Arabian and the Godolphin Arabian—whose blood appears in all the best English race-horsss of the last century—were in reality Barbs, and not Arabians; they came from Barbary and Africa, and not from Arabia and Asia. Barbary is rough, stony, hilly, intersected with ravines, and covered in many places with prickly bushes. The districts of Asia in which the purest Arab horses are bred present, on the other hand, flat or slightly undulating surfaces, with scanty vegetation, while for the most part they are carpeted with thick layers of sand. In Africa the horse, being unable to gallop with safety, accustomed himself to the trot, as being the safest and easiest gait under the circumstances, and the adoption of this action forces him to bend the knee and to develop the muscles which are thus brought into play. In other words Barb horses trot, while the Arabian horses gallop, because nature imposes upon each the necessity of adapting their action to the ground in the midst of which they are severally born.

Boston's Debt to the Country Boy.

From the Boston Herald.

A writer in the Contemporary Review calls attention to the fact that a very few of the leading men of New York City were born in the city. The great majority of them were born in the country, and a very large proportion emigrated from New England. This is not only true of men whose names are familiar to the public, but it is also true of successful business men whose names are not so well known. We suppose it is true of other cities as well as of New York. An examination of the leading men of Boston in the learned professions and in business will show that a large majority of them came from the country. It is evident that there is something in country training which develops energy of character. Country boys learn at an early age to contend with opposition and to work for what they want. They naturally form habits of industry and economy, and these tell in the struggle of life. It is true the world over that cities need to be recruited by fresh blood from the country.

Phœbe in Washington.

Washington Special to the Courier-Journal.

Few people outside of the members of Congress who saw President Arthur to-day was a black-eyed, trim and elegantly dressed young lady, with beauty in face and figure. She was from St. Louis, and her name—Phœbe Cozzens. She is perhaps as well known for her beauty as for her ability and championship of the rights of women at the ballot-box and elsewhere. Her object in calling was to adjust certain matters which, as attorney, she has pending before the departments. Her talk with President Arthur was more lengthy than he generally accords to visitors. She left the White House with a graceful carriage. The men on the lower floor made ready way for her. Only one or two knew the St. Louis female lawyer was the pretty woman who passed them.

THE TROUBADOUR.

How often, my princess, in slumber
We're blessed with those phantasies sweet
When but half-way delude, since they number
Truths fairly inwrought with deceit.

Last night, O my Princess, in sleeping
Such a dream came to me from the skies!
I'd a throne and a crown in my keeping,
And you were the soul of my sighs.

You were dearer than kingdom and glory—
Yes, dearer than hope that is new;
If I spoke love was wove in my story;
If I sang it was of love and of you.

Till, the bliss of my drowsy head breaking,
The chapel-bell answered the dawn,
And my kingdom I found upon waking
And my boldness were all that had gone.

CHARLES NOBLE GREGORY.

FLORENCE'S AMBITION.

He Contemplates Retiring From the Stage to Become a Diplomat.

From the New York Times.

The American stage is in imminent danger of losing two of its best known and most widely admired artists in the persons of Mr. and Mrs. William James Florence. The genial actor, in course of many years of travel throughout the world, has become interested in the study of diplomacy, and is seriously contemplating retirement from the dramatic profession and an entrance upon the field of diplomatic labor. It is well known that the President is not unfriendly to him, and his plan is by no means unlikely to be executed. Linking his arm in that of a Times reporter yesterday, Mr. Florence explained the reasons for his intended new departure during a walk down Broadway. "I am getting very, very tired," he said, "of the hard work that I am doing, and Mrs. Florence is also becoming weary. I have passed beyond the point when I am obliged to act for a living, and playing so long has naturally prevented me from clinging to the stage from any sentimental views. I have been an actor now for thirty-two years—a longer record than many of the profession can show. In that time I have seen whole constellations of brilliant stars disappear and their places taken by new groups, and I begin to think that I have earned the right to a little rest after my years of hard work. Not long ago I was present at a dinner party in London which included Irving, Booth, Barrett, McCullough and Toole, every one of whom had, in years gone by, acted with me in subordinate parts, when I was the leading attraction. I fully realized in that party for the first time how long I had been before the public and it set me to thinking that I might now step out of the profession very gracefully. I am still in the prime of life, though I have turned 50, and my audiences are as kind and cordial as ever, but I am not obliged to act for the money now and I see no good reason why I should not rest from my professional toil and leave the stage entirely to the younger generation which is springing up and deserves so much encouragement. In short, I have made up my mind that the time has come for me to give up traveling continually from one part of the world to another and to settle down to the enjoyment which I have fairly earned. That is the story in a few words."

"Have you any particular leaning toward diplomacy?" asked the reporter.

"Well, you can hardly call it that," was the response. "I don't look upon myself as a Disraeli or a Bismarck, but in the course of my varied travels it has been my good fortune to be thrown into the society of statesmen and the higher classes all over the world, and I have often thought I should like to represent my native country in a foreign land. There is a charm about the life which is irresistible to me, and I certainly feel myself thoroughly competent to perform the duties of any position which I would be bold enough to ask. I have had many intimate friends among the Ministers and Consuls-General of America abroad, and perfectly understand the work to be done. No member of the dramatic profession has as yet held a diplomatic position from this Government, and I have thought that it would be a graceful honor to the profession if I should be frrtunate enough to succeed in securing an appointment; it would break the ice and open the way for other actors in the future. I think that as a profession we are peculiarly adapted for diplomatic work. In the course of our travels we become acquainted with the character of foreign nations, and such an acquaintance is certainly a valuable knowledge for a Minister or Consul. Of course, I cannot make the same money that I do now, but I am not looking for money. I am secured from the necessity of work for the balance of my life. What I want now is a change to an employment which shall be at once congenial to myself and of some practical benefit to others. I am not a lazy man, and I don't want to be idle, and I look to diplomacy as the most pleasing labor that I can engage in."

"Have you fixed upon any field for your proposed new labors?"

"I have thought it over a great deal, but I have made no application yet to the Government, and have chosen no particular place. What I would like would be a position as Charge d'Affaires, or Consul-General, and I have thought that Switzerland, Denmark or Sweden would suit me very well. Such a position for me would please Mrs. Florence, too. Like myself she is getting very weary of the work that she is now doing. But all this is merely speculation for the present. I have made engagements until next spring, and these must be filled, so that I can do nothing in any other line till then, at all events. In the meantime I may secure a home theater for myself in New York and give up my ambition of representing my country abroad. All that I can say for certainty is that I am determined to secure some business which will not involve trrveling continually from one end of the world to the other and severe mental and physical labor between the journeys."

Female Physicians in New York.

Correspondence Chicago Inter-Ocean.

There are ten properly matriculated lady physicians here, who make on an average an income of $8,000 a year. One of the best, however, is a Dr. Jacobi, who is in professional as well as matrimonial partnership with her husband, and has a home that almost deserves to be called a mansion in the richness of its furnishing and appointments. She is a Putnam, and a direct descendant of the stanch old Israel, of revolutionary fame. Mrs. Jacobi is not what is called a "woman's rights woman," but she thinks many of their cherished doctrines would come to pass if they would first bend their energies on a point to which they give comparatively little attention, that of gaining the same educational advantages for women as are provided for men.

Of course there are countless other women physicians in New York, but I limit myself to those of the regular school, and those whose education, experience and talents have been recognized by the most eminent physicians of the opposite sex.

One wonders why women have not evinced a more decided liking for the profession of dentistry, which offers fewer obstacles in the way of preparation and popular prejudice than that of medicine. The leading dentist of Russia is an American women, living in St. Petersburg, and she has the honor of performing on the mouths of the royal family.

There are so few women doctors in this country that is difficult to find out anything about them. Those in this city are mostly married women who help their husbands, and there is one fair quack who advertises "diamond fillings."

Black Devil and His Driver.

From the New York Sun.

A ripple of excitement has been produced on the up-town drives by the appearance of a big black horse driven to a heavy road-wagon by a German who weighs 300 pounds. The habitues of the drives have named the horse Black Devil. He has beaten some of the fastest steppers, and has not yet been defeated. While Mr. Liebtenstein was coming down Seventh avenue behind his sorrel gelding Topper, which can show 2:30 to a wagon, a wagon rattled up behind him and he heard some one by the roadside say: "There goes the Black Devil and the big Dutchman." The man in the wagon held up his horse and nodded for a brush. Mr. Liebtenstein accepted the challenge, and made to his surprise the black hung close to his wheels for a distance, and then went by him with a rush. The driver turned and said: "Vell, vy don't you come on?"

His next victim was Mr. Alexander Taylor, Jr., who was going up Seventh avenue behind his gray gelding, Duke of Sutherland, a horse that can trot in 2:25. Mr. Taylor was challenged for a brush. They kept neck and neck for some time, when the driver of the unknown black cooly bid Mr. Taylor and passed by, and easily left him behind.

AN ENGLISH COUNT.

A Case Which Revived Recollections of Poor Neilson.

London Cor. Philadelphia Times.

Another sensation of the court-rooms—longus intervallo, thank goodness, from murder cases and robberies!—is the Clement-Scott repudiation of the Referee newspaper's charge against him of blackmailing Admiral Carr-Glyn. Judge, jury, counsel, witness and public had no end of fun yesterday at the self-confessed ignorance of the bigwigs concerning the identity of some of the delightfully pretty actresses who have been lugged into the case, and were indeed present yesterday in all the bravery of their last new dresses, their most killing hats, their most gushing glances, to testify that they had or had not paid for the insertion of their portraits and "lives" in Clement Scott's magazine, the Theater. "Who is Connie Gilchrist?" roared one of disciples of Blackstone and Coke. Whistler's "Gold Girl with the skipping rope" looked petrified with astonishment at the lack of information concerning her distinguished self of this ill-posted legal light. The piquant burlesquer testified that her mother had paid £6 10s. for the insertion of her portrait amidst the pages of the Theater. "And whoever heard of Myra Holme?" queried another man of the silk gown later on. A pleasant query for Myra, who has played the same part for three hundred nights consecutively in "The Colonel" and won her first spurs with the Florences in their season at the Gaiety with "The Mighty Dollar." "Do keep your theatrical troupe in order," was another sally, which "brought down the house."

Yet there were moments of pathos when, to use the old hyperbole, a pin might have been heard to fall. They were those when Admiral Carr-Glyn was testifying to his deep love and devotion to the beautiful creature who died so suddenly and mysteriously and who left him all the money which she had earned in her wonderfully prosperous tours in America. The Admiral said: "Miss Neilson's original name was Brown; her mother married again. The deceased left her mother the interest of £3,000 for life. The total property left was £25,000. I had known Mr. Scott personally since 1877, but had heard of him as a dramatic critic for several years. I never heard of his proceedings against the Hornet for libel. I have been at sea, you know" [Laughter.]

Among the curious facts brought to light is that Henry Irving was the original proprietor of the Theater magazine. He sunk some £6,000 in trying to make it a paying concern, and then was, naturally enough, anxious to get rid of such a white elephant. With the assistance of £500 obtained from Admiral Carr-Glyn, Clement Scott took hold of it, and lost that money and more, too. It must be understood that Admiral Glyn denies the charge of blackmail and states his object in investing £500 in the magazine was his "love of art and hope of five per cent interest." Also that he thought it a great misfortune if the magazine had to be given up—"pity that the ship should run a chance of wreck for a penny-worth of tar, as the nautical metaphor runs." The plaintiff's case was closed yesterday; that of the defendant will be heard to-day. Clement Scott has held a position in the War Office for some years, and penwork has not, therefore, been his mainstay of support.

FAR, far better for you than beer, ale or porter, and free from the intoxicating effects, is Hop Bitters.

Costly Ball Costumes

From the New York Evening Telegram.

The ball costumes for the season surpass in beauty all prior attempts in expensive dress productions. The industries of the loom were never so magnificent or costly as they are now. Extravagance in dress has reached a degree that is absolutely astonishing. One is apt to be incredulous of the truth of the statement that a dress texture ever cost $75 a yard, but it is a fact. A dress recently imported has a front ornamental piece that is valued at $900. The importations in ready-made toilets for ceremonious wear has already exceeded the number sold during last winter's gayety. The general opinion is that full dress toilets this winter will be in great demand, and that even those that are very costly will find ready sale.

Manufacturers have made marvelous improvements in dress ornaments, some of which are as brilliant and almost as valuable as fine jewelry. A style of applique garniture introduced this winter is a marvel of gorgeous effects. The set consists of an apron and shaped applications for the waist and sleeves. The prices run from $250 to $900 per set. Flat garnitures composed wholly of feathers, are very beautiful, and ornament ball costumes very handsomely. Fringe made of satin cords in novel. The price for the best is $17 per yard. A garniture formed of jewel-like colored beads and hand-wrought embroidery comes to $250 per set, which consists of a tablier and sleeve applications. A trimming composed of pear-shaped Roman pearls, chenille and gold beads comes to $30 per yard.

WEATHER--OR NOT.

We admire the philosophy of the unfortunate man, who, when everything had been swept away, said, "Well, there'll be weather and taxes left, at any rate." Alas! weather is the "yellow dog" of all subjects; everyone thinks it his special right to try to better the weather, and hurls his anathemas against "Old Probabilities," and all who endeavor to assist him in regulating the weather. The following communication is from Prof. Tice, of St. Louis, Mo., the renowned meteorologist and weather prophet of the West. It does not discuss the weather but something surely of more importance to those who suffer with that painful malady he speaks of: "The day after concluding my lectures at Burlington,

Iowa, on the 21st of December last, I was seized with a sudden attack of neuralgia in the chest, giving me excruciating pain and almost preventing breathing. My pulse, usually 80, fell to 25; intense nausea of the stomach succeeded, and a cold, clammy sweat covered my entire body. The attending physician could do nothing to relieve me. After suffering for three hours, I thought—as I had been using St. Jacobs Oil with good effect for rheumatic pains—I would try it. I saturated a piece of flannel, large enough to cover my chest, with the Oil, and applied it. The relief was almost instantaneous. In one hour I was entirely free from pain, and would have taken the train to fill an appointment that night in a neighboring town had my friend not dissuaded me. As it was, I took the night train for my home, in St. Louis, and have not been troubled since.

MURDERERS' ROW.

The Number of Inmates Will Shortly Decrease.

Red-Handed Criminals Convicted, Sentenced and yet to be Tried.

The machinery of the criminal courts which grind out justice in this community has apparently received new force since the beginning of the present legal year. A good indication of the speed of the mill of justice is the disposition of the highest crimes coming under the jurisdiction of the courts. The cases of murder and manslaughter finally disposed of in this community make a very creditable showing for the tribunals under whose jurisdiction these important matters came in the last half year. The rapid increase of murder in this city during the past year forcibly suggested the necessity of having some law on the subject. For a term of twelve months the Coroner reports thirty inquests under the caption of "murder" in his annual statement. If the courts continue, however, to push on these cases with the desirable and respectable rapidity with which they are now disposing of cases, the population of "Murderers' Row" will decrease materially by the time that the thoughts of some of the young men of that community should have lightly turned to thoughts of love. Vennor's prophecies as to next summer in this locality will be of no interest to some of these men who have lived behind the bars for years.

The cases of the occupants of "Murderers' Row" will all be called in the various courts before January 1, and many of them will be disposed of before that time. Since the July term of the Criminal Court the following cases have been disposed of finally by that tribunal:

Patrick Heffernan, who killed Fred, Kicker with a poker and was charged with manslaughter, was discharged on the evidence.

Patrick Gallagher, inflicting a fatal wound on Henry Freund at the Vulcan Iron Works, murder in second degree, sentenced to three years in the Penitentiary.

John C. Schnaufer, who shot and killed a butcher at Third and Spruce streets, murder in first degree, was discharged on evidence.

Jacob Anslinger, who fatally stabbed Louis Wittgenstein, was charged with murder in first degree, convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to two years in the Penitentiary.

Michael J. Reilly, who killed Alfred C. Hatch, was discharged by Judge Laughlin, in the Criminal Court.

Frank McGarry and John Walsh, who were charged with assisting at the killing of John Matthael at Central Turner Hall, were discharged in the Court of Criminal Correction yesterday. The cases were nolle prossed.

Wm. MacQueen, the old Scotchman who brained his wife at Fifteenth and Spruce, was charged with murder in the first degree, pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree, and was sentenced to ten years in the Penitentiary.

The status of the cases of the men now confined in Murderers' Row at the Four Courts was obtained with some little difficulty, and is as follows:

Chas. F. Kring, committed to jail January 11, 1875, is before the Supreme Court, to be argued on the 19th inst.

Joseph Kotovsky, for the murder of Augusta Simons at Eighth and Gratiot streets, committed to jail October 21, 1878, is now under sentence of death from the Supreme Court. Execution January 6, 1881.

William Henry Erb killed his wife and was committed to jail June 23, 1879, and is now under sentence from the Supreme Court to expiate his crime on the 30th.

Thaddeus Baber killed his mistress and her mother, and was committed August 19, 1879. His case has been argued and submitted, and taken under advisement.

E. G. Rickard shot and killed Mrs. Wilson at Seventh and Chestnut streets, was committed to jail November 26, 1880, and is now awaiting hearing in the Court of Appeals.

Arthur and Emile Rosey, charged with killing Patrick Scanlan on Franklin avenue, committed March 2, 1881, awaiting trial in Criminal Court.

Charles Phillips, charged with killing Joseph Buehler, an old furniture car driver, at Bamberger's Park, committed to jail July 22, 1881, is awaiting trial in the Criminal Court.

Patsy Early, charged with killing Billy Louderman at Sixth and Chestnut streets, committed to jail August 15, 1881, is awaiting trial in Criminal Court.

John Hayes, who killed Phillip Muller at Grand and Kossuth avenues, committed to jail August 30, 1881, is awaiting trial in the Criminal Court.

John H. Parker, charged with stabbing a man at Fifth and Christy avenue, is awaiting trial in the Criminal Court. He was committed to jail August 22, 1881.

Michael Walsh, charged with killing John Smith at Levee and Poplar streets, committed to jail September 27, 1881, is awaiting trial in the Criminal Court.

John P. Mahoney, charged with killing a man at Ninth and Walnut streets, committed to jail October 28, 1881, is awaiting trial in the Criminal Court.

John D. Shea killed Officer Doran at Seventh and St. Charles; committed to jail November 9, 1881; is awaiting trial in the Criminal Court.

Allen Hickerson killed George Bridge at Golden Lion saloon, Seventh and Pine; committed to jail November 2, 1881; is awaiting trial in the Criminal Court.

William Martin, charged with killing John Matthael at Central Turner Hall; committed to jail November 10, 1881; is awaiting trial in the Criminal Court.

Matt Lewis, colored, charged with killing his wife, committed to jail September 23, 1877, is awaiting trial in the Criminal Court, to which tribunal it has been remanded by the Supreme Court.

Wm. Ward, who killed Annie Lewis, committed to jail September 4, 1879. The case has been argued and submitted to the Supreme Court.

Charles Ellis killed Mack Sanders in a craps-house on the Levee, was committed to jail May 13, 1880, and is under sentence of death from the Supreme Court. Execution January 6, 1881.

Chas. Rose and Calvin Emerson, colored, charged with killing a roustabout at Seventh and Carr streets, committed to jail April 4, 1881. Awaiting trial in the Criminal Court.

Emmet Jones, who killed Antoine Valle on the Lady Lee, was committed to jail July 29 and stands convicted in the Criminal Court.

George W. Sears killed Sarah Freeman, and is awaiting trial in the Criminal Court; he was committed to jail August 24, 1881.

Aaron King killed Blunt Robinson, and was committed to jail October 5, 1881. He is awaiting trial in the Criminal Court.

Joseph Edwards killed Alf. Green at Broadway and Christy avenue; committed to Jail September 14, 1881, and is awaiting trial in the Criminal Court.

BARGAINS in bridal presents at Cooper's.

CITY NEWS.

The City Hall authorities report that diphtheria is prevailing to a large extent in all parts of the city.

The lowest bid for the erection of the Lowell School is that of P. Mulcahey $22,995, and the Building Committee recommends its approval to the School Board.

The residence of B. F. Nabb, 4017 Olive street, was burglarized yesterday morning, a watch, coat, cap and other articles being taken away by some chicken thieves.

The Chautauqua Literary Circle met last night at Pilgrim Church, Miss Helen Peabody presiding. Music, the regime of ornamental architecture, relations of fine art, etc., were subjects of discussion. There was a good attendance.

The directors of the Exchange have refused the use of the Chamber of Commerce for the O'Connor reception on the 28th, as the Rosicrucian ball occurs the evening following, and inconvenience would arise.

The Patrick depositions in the matter of the treasury leak have been closed without developing any evidence tending to clear up the mystery, but the statement of the late Kissel has not been shaken by the testimony.

The Odd-Fellows paid their tribute to the memory of the late Grand Secretary James L. Ridgely with memorial exercises at the Library Hall last evening. An address was delivered by Past Grand Sire Isaac M. Veitch.

The mass-meeting of friends of the militia to raise funds for completion of the new Armory takes place to-night at the Pickwick Theater. Committees have been appointed to canvass the various lines of business for subscriptions.

The Massachusetts Board of Education has called for particulars of the Manual Training School of Washington University. A medical department of the University is contemplated by consolidating with one of the medical colleges.

The report of the Street Commissioner upon the Langenbach charges against Mr. Brazil states that the large rock was placed on the street by direction of the Commissioner, and that the charges of malfeasance, etc., were not well founded.

Some masked ruffians broke into the home of Wm. Hellwig, an old employe at the Missouri Pacific car shops, residing at the corner of Montrose and Gratiot streets. Failing to find any money, the ruffians fired in the face of the old man and made off. Hellwig is in a very dangerous condition.

The Printers' Co-operative Union met last night at Turner Hall discussing the condition and prospects of the Union, the organ of the organization. General dissatisfaction was expressed and the trials and tribulations of the paper induced the belief that it will not be published much longer.

The Mullanphy Board held its monthly meeting yesterday afternoon. Relief was granted twenty-nine emigrants and sixty-nine travelers during the month. The Secretary's report shows a balance in hand of $9,395 80. The salary of Secretary Block is to be raised to $2,000 per annum.

Robert Leslie, a young colored man from Nashville, who married Alice Porter, a colored girl of Cincinnati, eloping with her to St. Louis, is in a condition bordering on frenzy because his fickle young wife has entered a disreputable house on Christy avenue. He threatens to kill her and dispose of himself.

Joseph S. Hamer, the East St. Louis live stock dealer, who disappeared, causing a collapse of his firm, has turned up at Reading, Michigan. After helping out his brother in the rendering business at Kansas City, he wandered about the country shrinking from his creditors. An adjustment of the affairs is looked for.

An explosion caused by slack in a heating stove of the Franklin School, Eighteenth and Lucas avenue, led to a panic among the pupils yesterday, and a general stampede from the building. The teachers stood at their posts to preserve order, but it was of no avail. Some of the children were hurt on the stairs, but none seriously.

The reception in honor of the French delegates to Yorktown, tendered by Mrs. Scanlon and her sons, the Messrs. Church, at 3535 Lucas avenue, last evening, was a very brilliant affair. All the distinguished representatives of society thronged the parlors, and there were many beautiful costumes specially prepared for the occasion.

The Women's Christian Sabbath Association yesterday discussed the unsatisfactory treatment of its Sabbath observance petition, and the Mayor was criticised in round terms. Judge Laughlin was taken to task for not bringing the matter before the grand jury. The clergy are to be requested to deliver a Sabbath observance sermon on the second Sunday in January, and all denominations are invited to co-operate. Bishop Ryan and the Catholics are to be solicited with the same view.

The Railroad Commissioners investigated the bridge disaster at St. Charles yesterday. Gen. Harding admits that he was mistaken when he pronounced the bridge to be in excellent condition. Some one will be held responsible for the disaster, but the commissioners decline to say anything until Maj. Sevier has been consulted. Some radical changes in construction are to be recommended. A temporary span will be constructed at once on the plan of one built after the last accident.

The Board of Health met yesterday afternoon and heard a protest of fifty property-owners against the construction of a sewer on Papin, between Jefferson and Summit avenues. They want it in the rear. The board promised to recommend to the Mayor that the ordinance be vetoed. The dairy of Jacob Woens, Eighth, between Marion and Carroll streets, was condemned as a nuisance for feeding swill; likewise the dairy of Mary Fischer, 1523 Buel street. There are now thirty-one small-pox patients in the Small-pox Hospital.

Prof. Snow lectured last night at Memorial Hall on Westminster Abbey, the fourth of the series on London. The Professor paid a tribute to the memory of Garfield and concluded thus: "Is it not our earnest wish, is it not, indeed, something more than a wish, a realized hope, rather—this community of respect and affection between the Old England and the New? The American whose dust can give to the Abbey its roe's egg lies, indeed, far from his ancestral English home, by an inland sea whose waves are mightier than the waters rebuked by the Danish King at Westminster; but we know that the blessing has come—a common sorrow, well-used, has made England and America one."

The Bar Association met last night, President E C. Kehr in the chair. The following committees for the year were appointed:

Committee on Amendments—C. S. Hayden, S Barclay, J. Klein, J. R. Shepley and L. B. Valliant. Judiciary Committee—James Taussig, A. W. Slayback, G. A. Madill, G. A. Finkelnburg and J. P. Vastine. Committee on Grievances—E. T. Allen, E. B. Sherzer, F. N. Judson, H. A. Haeussler and J. W. Dryden. Committee on Legal Education—Henry Hitchcock, Lucien Eaton, Leo Rassieur, E. Schulenburg and J. Q. A. Fritchey, H. I. D'Arcy, J. D Davis and C. C. Allen were elected members. The State Bar Convention will meet here the last week of this month, and the rooms of the Bar Association are placed at the disposal of the State Bar Association, and a local committee will arrange a banquet in honor of the State bar.

WRITE to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., for names of ladies that have been restored to perfect health by the use of her Vegetable Compound. It is a positive cure for the most stubborn cases of female weakness.

At Swope's.

Our stock of holiday slippers is simply immense. Prices lower than ever.

BARGAINS in rings at Cooper's.

People in Chicago

Call St. Louis a country village. They certainly find ground for the sarcasm when they come here and find large stores keeping dry goods, crockery, hardware, boots and shoes, etc., only needing the Post-office to make them equal to any other first-class country store. B. NUGENT & BRO. are striving to lift this odium from our city by keeping a first-class store, and dealing strictly in dry goods.

THE HANDSOMEST PRESENT

I have seen

Is one of those

Handsome French Graphoscopes and Stereoscopes

At Aloe's Optical Establishment,

Corner Fourth and Olive sts.

RIVER NEWS.

CAPT. W. P. HALLIDAY, of Cairo, returns home to-morrow.

CAPT. HENRY LEYHE will back out the Spread Eagle for Grafton at 3 p. m.

THE City of New Orleans, Capt. A. J. Carter, will arrive from the South to-morrow.

THE City of Providence, Capt. Geo. Lennox, takes her departure for Vicksburg this evening.

THE Minnesota, of the Davidson Line, leaves for Keokuk at 4 p. m. Dave Asbury commands.

RIVER 16 feet by the gauge and falling. There is a fair prospect, however, of a rise soon. Business fair.

A FEATURE of to-morrow will be the departure for New Orleans of the fine Anchor Line steamer John A. Scudder.

CAPT. JOHN THORNBURG'S Pittsburg takes her departure for Pittsburg to-morrow. Col. Jones presides in the office. Passengers will find this steamer fast and fine.

The authorities at Vicksburg succeeded in recovering Capt. J. D. Hegler's gold watch and chain, and he is sporting it again. The chances for its being stolen again are very slim, as the "old man" has the chain sewed to his vest and the watch glued to the lining of his pocket.

LOUISVILLE TRADE FORTY-ONE YEARS AGO. The Louisville and New Orleans boats were famed in their day, and were celebrated even in the early days of steamboating for speed and comfort. Among the first was the Gen. Brown, Capt. Frank Carter. She made the time to Louisville in seven and a half days. The Mediterranean, Capt. Robert Baldwin, was the largest and finest boat of this time, and for speed and splendor was regarded then as the J. M. White of to-day is. The William French, named after the celebrated boat-builder of Louisville, was also considered very fast. The Homer, Capt. A. W. Quarrier, was an 800-ton boat, had a double cabin, one above the other, the first boat built after that style. She was not a success, however, as far as speed was concerned, occupying ten days in the trip up. In 1843 the first racers, the Edward Shippen, Capt. Jos. Coombs, and the Diana, Capt. Frank Carter, were built. They were of fine models, 26-inch cylinders and six boilers. They made the run to Louisville in the then wonderful time of six and one-half days, and as they came over the falls half of the people were down on the wharf to witness their arrival. The Ambassador and Louisiana were also noted boats, but not so fast as the Shippen or Diana. Three years later the Belle Key and the Bostona made the trip in six days, as did the Peytona and Rainbow. In those days there were no boiler inspectors, and all the steam was carried that could be raised. Capts. Robert Baldwin and Frank Carter are still living, residents of Louisville, the latter gentleman being president of the Louisville and Cincinnati Mail Line. OLD-TIMER.

OH, how refreshing, palatable and reviving is a draught of cool water with Hop Bitters in it, to a fever patient.

BARGAINS in watches at Cooper's.

STEAMBOATS.

Lower Mississippi.

ST. LOUIS AND VICKSBURG ANCHOR LINE U. S. Mail Line.

For Helena, Gregsville, Arkansas City and Vicksburg Leave Tuesdays Thursdays and Saturdays
Str. CITY OF PROVIDENCE.....Lennox, Master
Will leave on Tuesday, Dec. 13, 5 p. m

Packets for Cape Girardeau, Cairo, Hickman and Memphis, leave Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
Str. JOHN B. MAUDE.....Brolaski, Master
Leaves Wednesday, Dec. 14, at 5 p. m.

Packets for Ste Genevieve, St. Marys, Chester and Grand Tower.
Str. E. C. ELLIOTT.....Postal, Master
Leaves Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 4 o'clock p. m.
JOHN BIRD, Agent.

ST. LOUIS & MISSISSIPPI VALLEY TRANSPORT'N CO. Office on wharfboat, foot of Elm street.
H. C. HAANSTICK, Prest. H. LOURIEY, Vice-Prest.
For New Orleans
Str. PORT EADS AND BARGES.
Leaves Tuesday, Dec. 13, at 5 p. m.
For freight rates to New Orleans and points in Texas, apply to
WM. F. HAINES, Ft. Agt.

NEW ORLEANS ANCHOR LINE.
For New Orleans and way landings
Str. JOHN A. SCUDDER.....Carter, Master.
Leaves Wednesday, Dec. 14, 5 p.m. For freight or passage apply on board wharfboat foot of Market st.
JOHN W. CARROLL, Gen. F'g't Agt.
N. B.—Through bills of lading given to Shreveport, La., via N. O. R. R. T. Co., and all points on Ouachita River via N. O. and O. R. T. Co. (Blank's Line.)

Upper Mississippi.

ST. LOUIS AND ST. PAUL PACKET LINE.
For Hannibal, Quincy, Canton, Warsaw and Keokuk.
Str. MINNEAPOLIS.....Dave Asbury, Master
Leaves Tuesday, Dec. 13, 4 p. m.
For passage, or freight rates, apply at general office on wharfboat foot of Olive street.
JENKINS & SASS, Agts.
JOHN F. DILLON, Gen. Freight Agt.

ST. LOUIS AND COMMERCIAL PACKET.
For Point Hastings, Cap au Gris, Fairmouth, Hamburg, Clarksville and all Way Landings.
Str. DORA.
Alex. Lamonte.....Master
Leaves Wednesdays, and Saturdays, 4 p. m., from foot of Myrtle st.

Illinois River.

CHICAGO FAST FREIGHT LINE.
For Hardin, Bedford, Montezuma, Florence, Griggsville, Naples, Beardstown, Havana and Peoria.
Str. CALHOUN.....Gray, Master
Leaves Wednesdays and Saturdays 4 p. m., from Company's wharfboat, foot of Market st. C. S. ROGERS, Prest.
L. F. D'ARCAMBAL, Agent.

Ohio River.

PITTSBURG AND ST. LOUIS PACKET LINE—BIG 8.
For Cairo, Paducah, Evansville, Owensboro Louisville, Cincinnati, Huntington, Wheeling Pittsburg and all way landings.
Str. PITTSBURGH,
John Thornburg, Master.....Cal. Jones, Clerk
Leaves Wednesday, Dec. 14 at 5 p. m
From upper Keokuk Northern Line wharfboat. JENKINS & SASS,
Agents, 508 N. Commercial.

P. P. MANION,
BLACKSMITHING AND WRECKING COMPANY
Corner of Levee and Morgan sts., St. Louis, Mo.

LOST AND FOUND.

A LIBERAL reward will be paid and no questions asked by J. F Imbs & Co., No 301 S. Main street, for return to them of the satchel and instruments taken from a doctor's buggy on Third street, between Cedar and Mulberry streets, last Sunday evening, 4th inst.

LOST—On Tuesday afternoon at Iron Mountain Depot one small black satchel containing a commutation ticket to De Soto and other articles. Party finding same will please send the ticket to Great Western Glass Works and retain balance of contents for his trouble.

LOST—A silver Chatelain watch in going from Twenty-ninth and Franklin avenue to Barr's and to Scruggs, V. & B. to Lindell Hotel. A reward of $10 will be paid by returning same to 2903 Franklin avenue.

MUSICAL.

100 PIANOS WANTED FOR CASH AT BARREIRAS', 11TH AND OLIVE.

WANTED—DWELLINGS.

WANTED—For cash—Five to eight-room detached house; modern improvements; nice location. State price and location. Add. O. 71, this office.

ESTATE of John George Abeln, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of

John George Abeln,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 8th day of December, 1881.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this —— day of December, 1881.

MARIA E. ABELN, Executrix.
T. F. W. Zimmermann, att'y. 900

PIANOS

Of all grades for rent or for sale on $10 monthly payments. Old pianos taken in exchange at
H. KOERBER, No. 1103 Olive Street.

SILVER-PLATED WARE
Retailed at Factory Prices.
E. M. WADSWORTH & CO.,
Manufacturers.
Salesroom, 612 Olive street.

PERSONAL.

ALL Cast-off Clothing bought. Call or address N Jacobs, 308 Locust street.

ALL CAST-OFF clothing bought by calling or addressing M. B. Barnett, 307 Locust street.

CALF SHOES $3 50, to measure, at John Lotrup's, 614 North Fourth street.

"ENGLISH ROAST PANS," for roasting meats, game, turkeys, ducks, etc. Saves all the juice and flavor of meats, and is splendid for baking cake and bread. WILSON & SONS,
414 Morgan street.

FOR THE BALD.

Prof. Stoehr, at 307 South Fourth street, restores the hair on bald heads and stops the hair from falling out.

"ENGLISH ROAST PANS," for roasting meats, game, turkeys, ducks, etc. Saves all the juice and flavor of meats, and is splendid for baking cake and bread. WILSON & SONS,
414 Morgan street.

GENTLEMEN, go to 1428 Franklin avenue to have your clothes dyed, cleaned and renovated.

KAUB & OSBOURN, Taxidermists, 417 Walnut street.

MRS. LAUREE DE KNEUETT, Spiritual Medium; natural clairvoyant test and guide for business; at 1413 Morgan street.

PLATING materials and outfits complete. All information and receipts for sale.
WILSON & SONS,
414 Morgan street.

NOTICE. Parties wishing to purchase holiday presents will find it to their interest to call and examine our stock of UNREDEEMED PLEDGES, both new and secondhand, in gold and silver watches, chains, diamonds and jewelry of all description, opera glasses, musical instruments and a variety of other articles generally found in a pawnbroker establishment. All goods warranted as represented at the Golden Eagle Loan Office, 12 South Fourth street.

PLATING materials and outfits complete. All information and receipts for sale.
WILSON & SONS,
414 Morgan street.

FOR RENT.

For Business Purposes.

FOR rent for business purposes—3203 Olive street, new store; desirable location, suitable for a grocery store. Apply to
E. S. WARNER & CO.,
306 N. Eighth st.

SALOON on a good corner for rent to responsible party only. Address C. S., this office.

TO all manufacturers: A large factory, No. 1858 S. Eleventh street, for low rent. C. M. Seaman, 623½ Olive street, up stairs.

Rooms.

819 LOCUST ST.—Nicely furnished front and back parlor, suitable for dentist's office, with or without board.

819 LOCUST ST.—Nicely furnished 2d and 3d-story front rooms, with or without board.

908 PINE STREET—A pleasant room, with fire, for four business young ladies at reasonable rates.

925 PARK AVE.—Rooms on second floor for small family.

1306 CHESTNUT ST.—A nicely furnished back parlor; no objections to light housekeeping; rent $11 per month.

1438 N. SEVENTH ST.—For Rent—Furnished rooms, with or without board. Day boarders taken at $3 a week.

1525 OLIVE ST.—Front parlor, suitable for doctor's office or music-room; also desirable bed rooms, large and single 2

1834 LUCAS PLACE—One pleasant room southern exposure, with breakfast and supper, to one or two gents.

A HANDSOMELY furnished front room for one or two gents. 2682 Morgan st.

FOR RENT—No. 213 South Twelfth street, seven rooms with hall room. Inquire at John Byrne, Jr. & Co., Seventh and Chestnut.

FOR RENT—Two rooms for light housekeeping in a private family; all conveniences; carpets on the floors; reference required. Address O. 70, this office

FOR RENT—2111 Franklin ave., furnished front room, by a colored lady.

FURNISHED ROOM.—Pleasantly situated, well furnished room, with light and fire, at No. 1218 Madison street; excellent day board near by. Call after 5 p. m. to see same. Terms very reasonable.

FOR RENT—1515 Ohio st.—A furnished front room on first floor, southern exposure; will rent cheap.

FOR RENT—2220 Morgan street, large, neatly furnished room, second floor, for two gentlemen or lady and gentleman.

FOR RENT—ROOMS—Hall-room for $5; two large parlors, fur. or unfur.; bath, gas; handsome residence. 1522 Morgan st.

FOR RENT—Back parlor, first floor, furnished; also, third story front with board; 2650 Olive street.

FOR RENT—Furnished room; southern exposure, fire, gas and bath. 1608 Pine st.

FOR RENT—One large, newly furnished front room, with small hall room if so desired in strictly private family to elderly gentleman and wife, with accommodations; only respectable parties need call or address G. W. S., 1511 Morgan street.

FOR RENT—Furnished room for two gentlemen. Address N. 21, this office.

FOR RENT—A small furnished room, with first-class board, in strictly private family. No. 906 North Twenty-first street.

FOR RENT—Two comfortable furnished rooms for housekeeping in private family. Address L. 14, this office. 1730 North Sixth street.

FOR RENT—2206 Olive st.—Rooms single or suite, with or without board; a room on the second and third floor.

FOR RENT—One front room, furnished, with fire. 1611 Glasgow ave. 7

FOR RENT—Furnished room with fire at 625 South Fifth street. $10 a month.

FIRST floor of a modern six-room house, consisting of three rooms, all conveniences, good location. Ad D.D., this office.

NICE front room for two or three gents, cheap; pleasant location. Address N. 19, this office.

ONE OR TWO GENTS can have a nice y furnished room, with fire and gas, in private family; neighborhood of Fourteenth street and Chouteau avenue. Address O. 22, this office.

ONE furnished and one unfurnished room, S. E corner of Seventh and Lafayette sts.

PLEASANT front room for elderly gentleman; good attention; parties not inquisitive. Add. N. 22, this office.

PIANO for rent or for sale cheap. 3040 Washington avenue. 13

ROOM FOR RENT—Good room unfurnished, west part of Washington avenue. Reference required. Call at Hulbert Bros. Music store, 923 Olive street.

TO RENT—To one or two gents, an elegant room in Stoddard Addition. Address N. 25, this office.

WANTED—A young gent to share the comforts of the finest rooms in private house in Stoddard Addition. Address N. 25, this office.

WANTED—BOARD.

BOARD wanted in private family by young lady not far from Seventh and Washington avenue, at once. Address Miss Ada Jones, South St. Louis. 7

BOARD accommodations and every home comfort for a married couple with small private family having a fine home in the best neighborhood. Add. R. 47, this office.

BOARD and room wanted by two young men: permanent if suited; prompt pay; must be reasonable; private family preferred. Address T. 3, this office.

WANTED—Board and lodging for a girl 9 years old; must be cheap; permanent if suited. Address Mother, 1324 Washington avenue, state terms. 9

WANTED—By a respectable man, board for himself and child, with some widow lady that will give them the comforts of a home. Address S. 27, this office.

PARTNERS WANTED.

WANTED—A partner with $3,000 to $5,000 cash in an established and well paying commission business. No liabilities. Reference required and given. To desirable party will show books. Give real name and where interview may be had. (Answers confidential.) Address R. O., this office.

FREE OF CHARGE.

Situations wanted, male and female; help wanted, male and female, not exceeding three lines, will be inserted free of charge. All other advertisements for this column will be charged for at the very low rate of TEN CENTS for three lines, each insertion.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

A SOBER respectable man, 50 years, wants a situation; can take care of horses and make himself generally useful about a gentleman's place; city reference. Address K. 87, this office. 13

A GENTLEMAN who has had five years' experience in the collecting business in Northern Texas wants a situation as traveling salesman; specialties preferred; can give references from different localities. Address D. L., this office. 13

BOY wants a situation in a private family of some kind Call at 1016 Ham street. 13

NO. 1 bookkeeper, best references, wishes a place Address M. 6. 12

SIT. WANTED—By man and wife; man understands gardening, the care of horses and cows; wife a good cook, washer and ironer. Address C. Becker, 1511 Gratiot st. 12

WANTED—A situation by a boy; can do almost anything; writes a good hand. Address M. 5, this office 13

WANTED—A position as driver of a delivery wagon by a young man of 18; is well acquainted with the city; anxious to work and wants a chance. Ad. K. 3, this office.

WANTED—A situation as a driver of a delivery wagon or team; is thoroughly acquainted with the city and location of streets. Ad. K. 94, this office.

WANTED—By a steady, sober man of experience, a situation as grocery clerk or copying and addressing circulars and letters; terms low. Ad. O. 75, this office 13

WANTED—A party employed during the day wants any kind of night work. Address M. 6. 12

WANTED—An experienced traveling saleeman wants a situation in wholesale dry goods or grocery house; commands a good trade; best refs. from last employer. Address K. 86, this office. 13

WANTED—By a widow, a position as a working housekeeper or nurse. Mrs. West, 1328 Poplar street. 12

WANTED—A cake baker, second hand, German, desires a situation; wages no object. Ad. Baker, room 50, first floor, Ashley Building, Broadway. 13

WANTED—A position as salesman or to do office work in a wholesale or retail house, by man 28 years old; good reference given. Ad. Lester, this office. 13

WANTED—Situation by a young man, either in city or country, as porter or clerk; can procure the best city reference and is not afrid to work. Address J. C. Riley, 1400 North Third street.

WANTED—Situation by man and wife; man a thorough horseman; understands heating apparatus; wife a superior laundress, willing and obliging. Ad. K. 79, this office. 13

HELP WANTED MALE.

6 STEAM-PIPE fitters and helpers. 600 Second street.

WANTED—Young man for house and dining room work. Apply 2810 Locust street, with references.

WANTED—Second and third cook and two bell-boys at Watkins' North Park Place Hotel. 13

WANTED—A young licensed engineer at the Riverside Printing-house at once. 12

WANTED—Two good bell boys at Hurst's Hotel, Fourth and Locust streets. 13

WANTED—Carpenter on Nineteenth street between St. Louis avenue and University street. 12

WANTED—You to try a good dinner from 2 to 4 o'clock for 10 to 15 cents at What Cheer Restaurant, 625 Morgan st.

FOR SALE.

400 DOZEN riveted handle pint cups, and all kinds tinware, stove vessels, etc., as low as any house in the city. WILSON & SONS,
414 Morgan street.

ALL kinds of desks for sale; store desks, railing and office fixtures made to order. F. Bollhagen 713 Pine.

BARGAIN.—A pretty cottage west of Grand avenue, for small cash payment and monthly installments. C. M. Seaman, 623½ Olive street, up stairs.

FOR SALE.

Lots and farm lands. Inquire of
PAGE & BUCKLAND,
East St. Louis, Ill.

FOR SALE.

AUTOMATIC SEWING MACHINE
FOR SALE CHEAP
AT
ED. WRIGHT'S SEWING MACHINE OFFICE,
802 OLIVE STREET.

FOR SALE.—A good route on POST-DISPATCH, cheap. Address 1402 Chestnut.

FOR SALE—An old and well established dry goods and notion business, the present owner retiring on account of failing health. This is a good chance for some active man or woman, as there is a good trade already established and no trouble to make money. Stock and fixtures for sale cheap. For further information apply to
A. SEYMOUR.
1412 Franklin ave.

400 DOZEN riveted handle pint cups, and all kinds tinware, stove vessels, etc., as low as any house in the city. WILSON & SONS,
414 Morgan street.

FOR SALE—Three sows and one boar of pure Essex breed, being two years old; will be sold cheap, the owner leaving the country. Apply to Mrs. Parker, Elmkelville.

FOR SALE—Corrugated iron for roofing ceiling or siding. It supplies a fire-proof, durable and elegant building. Manufactured by E. E. Souther & Bro., 922 North Second street. 12

FOR SALE—Dogs, canaries parrots and shells. Kaub & Osbourn, 417 Walnut st.

FOR SALE—A good set buggy harness and spring balance scales, at 4012 Clark avenue. 9

FOR SALE—One pair Howe platform scales 2,500 cwt. Apply James H. Forbes, No. 417 Franklin avenue.

FOR SALE—One 20x42 Corliss engine, now running, Wood Maude & Co.'s mill. Apply to Smith, Begge & Ranken, 800 Main st

SMALL grocery for sale; stock in good condition, good location. Cheap for cash. 526 Summit ave. 8

REMOVALS.

REMOVAL—Office of Drs. Hodgen and Mudd removed to 500 Jefferson avenue, south of Washington avenue.

MARTIN' Shorthand Institute removed to 618 Olive street, second floor.

ALL SORTS.

A GOOD CHANCE—Pictures, frames, mirrors and furniture sold on time at H. McNichols 1024 Market.

EVERYBODY to see Kaub & Osbourn's new bird store, at 417 Walnut st.

FIRST-CLASS photographing at second-class prices; taken regardless of weather at E. F. Adams & Co.'s gallery 215 N Fourth st.

HAVING bought a lot of unclaimed railroad freight of boots and shoes, we shall offer them at 50c on the dollar until sold. Remember Haas Bros., 616 N. Fifth street, near Washington avenue.

The St. Louis Mutual House Building Co., 518 Walnut st.

Loans large and small amounts. Builds houses on city real estate. Payments monthly. Terms greatly reduced.

Dry Kindling Can be had and delivered by sending postal to 1826 Montgomery st., or leaving order at Mississippi Planing Mill, corner Thirteenth and O'Fallon sts. CHAS ZOBEL.

KIDNEYS.

THE action of the pure unmade herb California Root Tea on the kidneys is peculiarly desirable and remarkable, and its success in curing diseases of these organs is truly surprising. Its properties come direct from the soil, and nothing known to man has similar action on kidneys, liver or general system. It should be used for all kidney affections, weakness, etc., in preference to all other things. Price, 25 cents a box. See that signature of C. R. BURRAGE is on every box; can be sent by mail, St. Louis Special Agency, Popular Drug Store, 305 South Fourth street.

PERSONAL—Dr. Smith treats females only. Boarding during confinement. If in trouble call or write. 1510 Morgan street. Established 1869

REGILDING done cheap at your own house, if desired. Send postal-card to Rychlicki, 927 North Seventh street.

ST. LOUIS Eye and Ear Institute, 723 Chestnut street. Dr. A. D. Williams, surgeon in charge.

WANTED—Family washing 50 cents per day at 1611 Glasgow ave. 7

Main and Spruce Sts.

Manufacturer of Carriages, Buggies, Spring Wagons, City Trucks. Painting and repairing.
A. BANCHEREL.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

A FIRST-CLASS COOK wishes a situation. Please call at 1309 Gay st.

FIRST-CLASS dressmaker would like to make engagements in families by the day or week. Good references. Terms moderate. Address O. 73, this office. 12

WANTED—Employment by a widow lady as teacher of music or other branch of a polite education, saleslady, housekeeper amanuensis, companion or correspondent; best references given. Ad R. B. Jennings, Columbia, Mo.

WANTED—By a competent and willing woman, washing and ironing or house cleaning. Can give the very best of reference and would be very glad of an opportunity to test her efficiency. Apply at 2833 James street. 10

WORK wanted at carpet-fitting; has had years of experience in that line and can guarantee good work. Apply to Mrs. Bullard, 723 N. Nineteenth st.

WANTED—A situation to do general housework for a small family. Address 1293 North Eighth street. 13

WANTED—A situation as nurse and light housework. Address 1233 North Eighth street. 13

WANTED—By a lady writing a good hand, situation as copyist or addressing letters and circulars. Ad. O. 10, this office. 13

WANTED—Situation as apprentice saleslady; reference given. Address M. 18, this office. 13

WANTED—By two respectable girls a situation in a dressmaking and millinery establishment; are good fast sewers. Wages no object. No postal cards answered. Address T. S., Box 229, Corning, Ark. 10

WANTED—Work by a first-class laundress; either by the day or at home. No. 1511 Gratiot street. 12

WANTED—Situation by a German woman to cook lunch in saloon or assist cook in restaurant. Apply at or address 836 South Seventh street. 8

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTGD—Competent girl for general housework at 2017 Rutger st. 13

WANTED—Good girl for general housework at 3660 Olive st. 13

WANTED—A girl for general housework at 917 Soulard street 13

WANTED—A woman to clean out office once a week. Room 1, 124 South Fifth st. 13

WANTED—A young girl to assist in light housework. Call at 737 South Eighth st 13

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework in small family; none other need apply; good wages. 2812 Morgan st. 13

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Money to Loan.

$30,000, $5,000, $3,000, $1,000, at 6 per cent on real estate.
JOHN LADY & CO.,
305 Olive street, up stairs.

MONEY loaned on household goods; no removal; lowest rate. D. H. Evans & Co., 207 N. Seventh street. 12

MONEY LOANED—On furniture in residence; business confidential; no charge for making loan. Brolaski & Voorhis, 514 Pine.

MONEY TO LOAN on all personal property in sums from $25 to $5,000. Golden Eagle Loan Office, 12 S. Fourth street. 13

MONEY to loan on household furniture without removal; lowest rates; business confidential. C. F. Ratts,

St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

BY JOSEPH PULITZER.

[Entered at the Post-Office at St. Louis, Mo., as second-class mail matter.]

TERMS OF THE DAILY.

One year, postage paid..... $6 00
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One month (delivered by carrier)..... 65
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THE WEEKLY.

One year, postage paid..... $2
Six months, postage paid..... 80

All business or news letters or telegrams should be addressed POST-DISPATCH, 111 North Fifth street.

The POST-DISPATCH has a LARGER CITY CIRCULATION, on each day of publication, than ANY OTHER PAPER published in St. Louis. Advertisers are at all times welcome to call and satisfy themselves of the strict accuracy of this claim.

THIS delightfully unseasonable weather is preparing to force vegetation ahead for the benefit of the hungry, biting winds of February and March.

MR. FILLEY ought to send some home-made candy to the President, after the manner of the Vermont lady. ARTHUR seems to be fond of taffy.

WE are giving our new press another chance to-day. It is rather early to express an opinion, but it is the belief of the gentlemen in charge of the beautiful machine that they have overcome all difficulties.

CAPT. JOHN COWDON is asking Congress for an appropriation to open the Lake Borgne outlet. His purpose is to lower the stage of water at New Orleans about three feet. Of course the Captain has no interest in the jetties.

PROCTOR KNOTT announces that he intends to faithfully champion the doctrine of Free Trade in Congress from this time henceforth. That's right. Brother BEECHER will stand by him and we will occasionally lend a helping hand.

GUITEAU has been pronounced an insane and irresponsible man by an "expert" veterinary surgeon. As GUITEAU is unquestionably a beast it was perfectly proper that the defense should call to his aid a man familiar with the peculiarities of animals.

THE New York *World* is almost exclusively devoted to JAY GOULD and the affairs of Peru. The brother of the editor of the *World* is engaged in representing us at present as Minister to Peru and his diplomacy is thought to be a matter of some cosmopolitan importance.

THE Vienna horror will have one good effect. In all the European cities decrees are being issued requiring additional safeguards for all public places of amusement. This is the kind of wisdom that locks the stable door after the horse is stolen but future generations may derive some benefit from it.

A WASHINGTON dispatch says that GRANT is to be allowed to select his own man for any of the Cabinet places yet unfilled. He is inclined to do something for his old friend Gen. BEALE, but reproachful visions of CHAFFEE and BABCOCK and FILLEY continually rise before his eyes. If he holds the place open long enough perhaps some rich gentleman in New York will bid a house and lot.

WE deem it a part of our duty to remark that MONTGOMERY BLAIR has emerged from his cave of gloom with another able letter, urging the Democratic party to nominate Mr. TILDEN for President in 1884. When it comes to sticking to the text Mr. BLAIR beats the best of 'em. People talk of the fickleness of man, and yet here is a man who has for eight years done nothing else but bore newspapers with letters expressing his love and admiration for Mr. TILDEN. There are creatures ungenerous enough to say that the election of TILDEN to the Presidency is the last hope that BLAIR has of ever seeing another public office.

SPEAKING of the POST-DISPATCH, the St. Louis *Advance*, the organ of our colored population, says: "It is the spiciest afternoon paper ever published in St. Louis. The management of this paper richly deserve the success which their energy and enterprise have brought them." This shows that we have earned the respect and admiration of the colored people as well as the white people, and it shows that our distinguished friend Mr. J. MILTON TURNER appreciates the fact that it is more pleasant to toss off little complimentary notices of this character than to indulge in those trivial personalities which embitter the heart and sometimes plunge the soul in gloom.

THE testimony of Dr. SHAW, of New York City, in the GUITEAU case, throws a flood of light upon the real character of the assassin. He says that GUITEAU once said to him that he intended to achieve notoriety before he died, even though it might be necessary to kill some public man, after the fashion of WILKES BOOTH. Those who have studied the character of the wretch must see that this was the motive behind his crime. It is very convenient for him to assume that he was directed by Deity to remove the President, but the inspiration which led him to his crime came from his egotism and his vanity. If Mr. SHAW'S character is such as to make the testimony valid, the jury ought to convict GUITEAU without leaving the box, and he ought to be executed inside of a week from the delivery of the verdict.

OHIO men are not securing Government positions as rapidly now as they did some time, ago but they still keep their eyes fixed on the Treasury in Washington. They are still willing to do something for the old flag provided the effort is stimulated by an appropriation. An enterprising physician at Toledo has written to a member of Congress to say that millions of dollars now paid annually to pensioned soldiers on account of hemorrhoids can be saved by curing these people and scratching them from the rolls. He has an infallible remedy for the disease and he will agree to cure all the old pensioners if Congress will give him an appropriation to set him up in business. He wishes it understood that if he fails he will expect nothing from the Government beyond the small preliminary appropriation. It strikes us that the Doctor ought to be allowed to experiment.

IT is announced that some radical changes will be suggested when it comes to reconstructing the St. Charles bridge. It occurs to us that it is about time to give some other plan a trial. Every span of the bridge, with one exception, has taken a header into the Missouri, and the time has about arrived for the man who made the bridge to disappear.

THEY have very intelligent policemen in Vienna. They attended the burning of the Ring Theater in large numbers the other night and when they thought the audience had dispersed they fastened all the doors in order to keep the outsiders from rushing in and scorching themselves. By this shrewd precaution they managed to burn to death a hundred or two unfortunate inmates of the building who might have crowded to the doors if they had been permitted to find them.

THERE seems to be an unusual amount of interest in the Mexican Mission. The men who were wrangling for the place when Mr. GARFIELD was shot down are again pounding on the doors of the White House and announcing their claims. It is quite likely that the honor will go to JOHN RUSSELL YOUNG, the New York journalist. He is urged by GRANT. As there is to be a great deal of railroad building and jobbing in Mexico in the next two or three years, it would not be out of place to give GRANT the use of our representative there. In this way we could in a small degree reduce the gigantic claim which he holds against the Republic as savior and protector.

REDUCE THE TARIFF.

Gov. Grinnell, of Iowa, in the recent New York Convention of Tariffites, said that Iowa raised 275,000,000 bushels of corn and he wanted to see it consumed here and under the American flag. "Something too much of this," with a vengeance. Outside the Mississippi Valley we raise about enough breadstuffs for local consumption, so that our export of these articles will approximate the measure of our surplus production in the valley. Our agricultural exports amount to about 84 per cent of our total exports, cotton and breadstuffs alone exceeding $500,000,000, and Gov. GRINNELL wants it consumed here. He cannot mean it. If he does there are more intelligent men in Iowa. The current number of the *Edinburgh Review* quotes a letter from a fellow-citizen of the Governor, written to the Chicago *Times*, of April 16, containing among others this significant item:

> The duty on steel wire is 2¼ cents per pound, and the effect of the duty is to add at least 3 cents to the price. Counting a pound to the rod, it would cost to fence Iowa into forty-acre lots, with a lane on every section, $5,000,000 for the protection on each wire in the fence. * * * * The duty on steel rails is $28 per ton. This increases the cost of one laying by $2,500 to $3,500 a mile, and allowing for renewal adds $5,000 to $7,000 per mile to the cost of railroads. The dividend on this has to be paid by those who use the roads. So with equipment and all similar expenses. This being a corn-growing State and corn being a bulky crop, Iowa is especially injured by this class of duties.

If GOV. GRINNELL will consult the report of the Commissioner of Agriculture he will find that Iowa stands nearly at the bottom in the value per acre of its products, and one of the chief reasons is that their surplus must help pay the dividends on 90,000 miles of protected rails in the State, nearly $450,000,000. DAVID A. WELLS, in the last *North American*, in an article on Reform in Federal Taxation, demonstrates within a reasonable certainty that our interest-bearing debt can be paid off in ten years, if the duties are not reduced, though some of the bonds are payable in 1907 and these would have to be purchased at heavy premium. With more revenues than we need, already burdened with many unreasonable duties, these Protectionists, like the horse-leech's daughter of old, cry "give, give," and it will no longer serve their turn to plead necessity. The quinine manufacturers last year pleaded necessity, yet they sell 40 per cent lower and still run their corner shops. In the *Review* first mentioned there is a story told in Parliament by Mr. CROSS. An M. P. had been visited by a half dozen sugar-refiners of Liverpool, who told the usual dismal story of "protection or bust" and asked him to support Mr. RITCHIE'S motion to levy a duty on refined sugar. He listened, and consented on condition that they would find him a sugar refiner who lived in a house of less than $1,000 rent per year. They went away disconsolate, but he met two of them in an art gallery next day, who had bought nothing because—there was nothing worth having, and before they left one of them had purchased a little house for $135,000. Poor manufacturers and poor deluded consumers who advocate their demands!

THE most heart-rending feature of the discussion going on in the editorial columns of our esteemed morning contemporaries anent their respective reports of the St. Charles bridge disaster is a twenty-stanzaed "poem" that stands out on a supplement page of the *Globe-Democrat* this morning like a German silver plate on the lid of an imitation rosewood casket that has the remains of a resurrected joke inside of it. The "poem" reads as if it had been casually thrown off by an automatic type-writer during a few moments snatched from the prosaic work of printing bills of lading for the up-river packets. It is altogether the saddest phase, so far, of a very tearful discussion and argues that while the *Globe-Democrat* reporters may be able to row boats they can't hoe a difficult row of poetry.

THERE should be a full attendance at Pickwick Hall this evening of all the contributors to the new Armory fund. A report will be made showing the work done up to this time. It is understood that additional subscriptions will be required to complete the building, and it is to be hoped that these will be promptly obtained. The new Armory will put new life and zeal into our military organizations, and there is certainly no good citizen who will not agree that the more efficient our militiamen become, the more service they will be able to render and the more cause the city will have to be proud of them.

THE latest discovery of the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher is that a protective tariff is immoral. He did not find this out until late in life, for in his early days and prime he was a sincere protectionist.—*Cincinnati Gazette.*

The longer a man lives the more he knows and the longer this country lives the less it requires "protection."

THE elite of St. Louis society assisted the French delegates to celebrate the capture of Yorktown in a most captivating way last night. Our Gallic visitors must have imagined themselves back in the grand salons of Versailles.

PERSONAL.

—Miss Mildred Lee, daughter of Gen. R. E. Lee, is passing a part of the winter in New York.

—Major William Arthur, the President's only brother, has received an appointment on Gen. Hancock's staff.

—King Humbert of Italy is selling some of his palaces. The mania for betting against Foxhall seems to have permeated all classes.

—Mr. George Dolby, who accompanied Mr. Dickens in his reading tour through the United States, will probable have some reminiscences of the novelist ready for publication next season.

—There are only six oaths in daily use, and not a single one of them can announce the feelings of a man who leaves on a seat in the street car the beefsteak he was bringing home for dinner.

—M. Meisonnier, the great French artist, is painting a portrait of Mrs. J. W. Mackay, wherein the subject is represented as wearing a costume of black mervelleuse. The price to be paid for the portrait is, it is reported, $16,000.

—Great excitement was caused at the Kentucky Penitentiary recently by the arrival of a mail which contained no pardons from Gov. Blackburn. The convicts are greatly enraged at the brutal treatment, and an outbreak may be looked for.

—A little Ohio girl named Eva May Folder, 7 years old, sends one dollar in aid of the Garfield Monument Fund, at Cleveland, which she says is the first money she ever earned, and she accomplished it by spelling hippopotamus, which her Uncle Oscar bet she could not do.

—Essence of Jackass: You sat behind us at the Museum Saturday evening. You kept your mud-spanking old hoof tunking away on the floor, beating time to the music. If you'll call at this office we'll take an axe-handle and beat the time for the whole opera on your addled head. Now you know how fond we are of you.—[Boston Post.

Irish Landlordism in America.

MACON CITY, MO., December 12, 1881.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

An eviction of the most atrocious character has lately been perpetrated in this town on a poor and sickly couple, the husband being sixty years of age and very feeble, being paralytic in his lower limbs and his speech affected from the same cause; the woman to my knowledge is under treatment for a serious malady.

The floor of these poor people's house was torn up and the roof taken off by directions of an Irish landlord, and a Catholic at that, and they were obliged to remove their little furniture, and oh cruelty, most horrible to relate, to take shelter in the open air under the canopy of a November sky—boards being placed from the head to the foot of the bed, and under this two of God's creatures took shelter for the night. What do you think of this, Ladies' Land League of St. Louis and reverend editor of the Watchman? These facts can be attested—the people are now under my roof. Irishmen of America, you live in glass houses—so don't throw the stone at Irish landlords on the "Ould Sod." A SUBSCRIBER.

And an Irishman.

P. S.—The rent was paid.

Mistaken Bones.

From the Chicago Tribune.

A Missouri paper credits Gratz Brown with saying that he "feels it in his bones" that he will be President of the United States yet. Mr. Brown's bones must be some relation to Eli Perkins if they are telling the old man such tales.

Sunday Concerts.

From the New York Mail and Express.

Old-fashioned Boston Christians complain that it costs more to run a modern church choir than to pay the salaries of a half-dozen country clergymen.

Another Message Necessary.

From the Atlanta Constitution.

Nobody knows what the President thinks of the Southern situation. Perhaps this is just as well. The problem can't be settled in one message.

A. R. DONALDSON & CO.

302 North Fourth Street.
Silk Umbrellas for Holiday Presents.

NORTH ST. LOUIS ITEMS.

There was an advance to-day of $1 on common grades and dimension lumber.

West Gate Lodge, No. 445, Masonic, will hold an election of officers this evening at 3717 Cass avenue.

Last night an interesting event occurred in North Park Place at the residence of Capt. Frank Watkins, in the marriage of Miss Mary A., daughter of the Captain, to Mr. Harry Edwards, of London. The ceremonies were conducted by Chaplain G. W. Mullins, in charge of the education of the United States Army.

Mr. J. C. Meier was about to remove the contents of his tin store to Red Bud, Ill., when intercepted by the Ever's Stove Manufacturing Company, creditors to the amount of $47, who caused an attachment to be issued against him under which Deputy Harry Harmon pounced upon his tin trappings. Mr. Meier, seeing himself worsted, secured the release of his tools and tinware by depositing with the royal emissary of the law two gold watches, as a pledge to secure the payment of the debt.

GOOD POCKET KNIVES,

Very cheap, at Simmons Hardware Company.

'CHANGE NOTES.

River Committee Meeting—Jimmy's Memory—Prospective Exchange Officers.

Liverpool cables reported wheat 6d lower and wheat 6d higher this morning.

A vote on the Call Board rules regarding margins will be taken on December 24.

John R. Laughlin is back from his bridal trip to the South and made his appearance on the floor this morning.

One hundred thousand bushels No. 2 white mixed corn was inspected out from elevators yesterday for shipment to Europe, via the river route.

A rumor comes floating down the floor, wafted from the "oat corner" by breath of 3,000 members, that Waller Teasdale will take into himself a wife within a very short time.

A move to do away with calling options on grain at the regular 11:30 a. m. call is being agitated among the operators. They claim that this call takes up too much valuable time.

Eastern rail rates are shaky again, and another collapse is looked for. In Chicago last night open orders were given over the B. & O. Road to take grain at 13 cents per 100 pounds for New York, 9 cents to Philadelphia and 8 cents to Baltimore, and this "cut" is expected here at any time now.

The boys were wild to-day. Business was flat, and they had to have some fun; so they hauled up Tom Doan, George Kinsky and Henry Amelung and made them lead in religious songs, the crowd coming in on the chorus with great effect and beautiful harmony. They are rapidly getting into shape for the 31st of December and the flour bags.

Jimmy Newell, the Exchange door-keeper, has shown that he possesses a memory that is simply wonderful. Although the membership of the Exchange is now over 3,000 and the greater portion comparatively new members, yet Jim has their faces and names down so fine that he never makes the mistake of stopping any of them at the door. One quick look is all he wants to commit a face to memory.

The meeting of the River Convention Committee will be held to-morrow at noon in the Exchange reading-room. Letters have been received from members of this committee residing at other points signifying their intention of being present, and it is probable the attendance will be full. The memorial to Congress is already prepared and will be submitted at the meeting. Other interesting business will be transacted.

There has been so much talk in local speculative circles of the heavy export demand in New York for wheat, a demand that was only restricted by a lack of tonnage, that the following, from a late issue of the New York Daily Commercial Bulletin, will prove of interest: "The influence of the cables on our markets was not particularly noticeable. If anything, however, they were of a helpful nature, the late well-sustained feeling abroad being commented upon as a wholesome augury. It must be admitted, though, that any salutary effect exerted by recent foreign reports must remain a matter of feeling, while Great Britain, France and the other dependent countries are drawing so large a part of their supplies from Russia, Australia and the other exporting countries, to the neglect of the products of the United States. The disposition still manifested by the foreign growers to market their grain freely keeps the English and Continental markets too much below our quotations for any extended shipments from our coast. We are from day to day, therefore, reporting only moderate takings by the exporters."

Business is so extremely dull on 'Change just now that the members have more than the usual time to give to Exchange "politics," and the candidates for office to serve during the coming year, their chances for election, etc., are fruitful subjects for conversation. A member who takes a leading hand at caucuses, and who keeps well posted on everything that pertains to the elective offices of the Exchange, gave his ideas and information to the reporter in a rambling conversation to-day. "The candidates for the presidency," he said, "are as plentiful as ever, but their names, merits and qualifications have been given so often of late that there is hardly any use touching on them. There is no doubt but that Charley Slayback is the favorite, but John Jackson is backed by the elevator interest, and Capt. Price has a great many friends. Dave Francis' name has been mentioned, but I know he don't want it. Now, passing to the vice-presidency, which has not come up yet publicly though worked quietly by a few, there are only Frank Gainnie, Jim Post and R. B. Brown's names heard of. Gainnie, I think, is almost solid for it. You know he was sacrificed last year in the presidential race, besides which he didn't work at all for it himself, but he has done such excellent work this year in the interest of the river convention, and besides is so universally popular, that he will be carried in by a big vote. Jim Post is another popular aspirant. I believe that Post is almost sure for the office, as the services he has rendered in the board were of substantial benefit to the Exchange, and I am sure are fully appreciated by the members. The increased initiation and the transferring of memberships are in a great measure due to him. He is a quiet, but hard and steady worker. Brown is a very quiet man and not generally known. For the five members of the directory candidates are popping up like mushrooms all over the floor. Jim MacGinnitie's claims are being strongly pressed by his friends, and there is no doubt but that with Mac's great popularity he would have a big hold in the race. I know that he is not personally seeking this office, but he will be run anyway. He is a man of clear, solid business sense, enterprising and energetic—just such a man as we want on the board. From the floor corner come Billy Kant, Dave Kirk and Joe Imbs, standing in popular favor in about that order, too, and Archie Craig and Fred. Cochran are up to represent the provision men. A good man, and one whose merits should have been recognized before, is Pat Conner, the commission man. He will go into this race and run it, from end to end, and you can bet will get there. A good many others are mentioned every day, but I believe this slate will be a good one."

FOUR COURTS NOTES.

Henry Lewis, alias Grube, was jailed to-day on a charge of petit larceny.

Jack Jones stole a buffalo robe from Chas. Hitzel, and to-day Judge Cady sent him to the Work-house for four months.

In default of $800 bond, in which James Ferguson was held in the Court of Criminal Correction to-day, he was sent to jail.

A charge of assault to kill against Charles Kirchdorfer was continued generally in the Court of Criminal Correction to-day.

John Hays was held to answer in the sum of $800 to-day by Judge Cady on a charge of grand larceny. In default of bond he was committed to jail.

The Coroner was to-day notified that George Washington's baby died without medical attendance. George Washington is a colored man, and lives at No. 1415 Linden street.

John Raate stole some old iron from the St. Louis and Vicksburg wharfboat, and was sent to the Work-house for one month for the same offense from the Court of Criminal Correction.

Andrew Budelman was allowed to plead guilty to petit larceny in the Criminal Court to day, and was fined $100. In default he was sent to the Work-house. He was charged with grand larceny.

Frank Mueller had a hearing in the Court of Criminal Correction to-day on a charge of petit larceny. He was accused of stealing a caddy from Jordan, Dausman & Co. He was sentenced to six months in the Work-house.

Warrants charging Mike Minehan and Wm. Thornton with highway robbery were issued to-day and the defendants committed to jail. Other warrants of the same denomination will be issued to-day against these parties. Minehan and Thornton were arrested in the act of robbing a man on Carondelet avenue.

THE APPELLATE BENCH.

Another Yield From Judges Bakewell and Thompson—Illegible Fists, Etc.

The Court of Appeals met this morning, Judges Bakewell and Thompson on the bench, for the purpose of handing down the weekly batch of opinions, the result in each being given below.

Daester vs. Mechanics' Planing Mill Co.; affirmed; State ex rel. Rosenblatt vs. Still, affirmed; Fuhrer vs. Langford et al., affirmed. Butchers' and Drovers' Bank vs. Pulitzer, affirmed; Garnett vs. Carson, administrator, judgment reversed and cause dismissed; State to use of Watson vs. Harper; judgment reversed and cause dismissed; Crecelius vs. Horst et al., affirmed; State Savings Association vs. Boatmen's Savings Institution, affirmed: Ames' executors vs. Ames' executrix, affirmed.

The court takes occasion in one case above to criticise the handwriting of counsel as follows: "It is no disparagement to a busy practitioner that he is not able to write copper plate, but where his writing is not entirely legible a clerk should be employed to make fair copies of important papers prepared to be filed in court."

The Court of Appeals to-day reversed and dismissed the case of Watson, Collector of the County, against Daniel Harper, a suit under the back-tax law to recover taxes assessed against a tract of land in St. Louis county for 1869 and 1870 for the support of the Webster Public School. The court below gave judgment for the plaintiff, but the appellate court rules that, following the Supreme Court decision in the case of Brown vs. Harris, there can be no recovery. The Board of Webster School made no return for the years 1869 and 1870 of the rate of taxation levied for school purposes to the County Clerk, but returned their levy to the County Auditor, and that officer extended the same upon the tax books of the county. The Supreme Court held that the tax bill based upon a levy thus extended upon the assessment books was void and that a Collector seizing personal property under it was liable as a trespasser.

BARGAINS in silverware at Cooper's.

MORE TALK.

A Project to Build Another Bridge, in North St. Louis.

The probabilities are that before another twelve months North St. Louis will have a bridge to span the Mississippi River. The question is now being discussed, and a public meeting in reference to the matter will shortly be called at the Sturgeon Market Hall. The prime movers in the matter are Mr. Gus. Sessinghaus, president of the Jefferson Flouring Mills, Tenth and North Market streets, and Mr. Gerhardt Boeckenkamp, the lumber merchant at Ninth and Monroe streets. Both of these gentlemen are heart and soul in the matter, and say they are determined that North St. Louis shall have a bridge of its own. Steps will at once be taken to secure the co-operation of the business men, and it is proposed to open a subscription list and ascertain by that means the amount of money that can be obtained, and for that purpose Mr. J. R. Imsiepen, Constable of the Tenth District Court, will begin a canvass some time during the month. It is also proposed to appoint a committee of prominent men to wait on the various railroad officials and ascertain what aid they will give the enterprise. The proposed route of the bridge is from the foot of North Market street over to Brooklyn, Ill., and it is intended that it shall be for wagons and passengers as well as for cars. The subject of this matter has been under consideration for the last year, and, after securing points and figures on the matter, the gentlemen mentioned have concluded that the bridge can be built if the proper assistance is given by the merchants and railroad companies. A structure to span the Mississippi River in the northern part of the city cannot fail to prove of immense advantage to the merchants and lumber dealers, for as it is now all of the freight consigned to North St. Louis has to come by way of East St. Louis and then be transferred in wagons to its destination, causing not only great delay but expense. The lumber for the North St. Louis yards, which comes from the East, is transferred from Venice on steamers and landed at the foot of Brooklyn street, and, as the bridge will be greatly beneficial to their interests, a committee will be appointed to wait on them and ascertain their feelings on the subject, and find out what they will do in a financial way to aid in the matter. The enterprise is rather a gigantic one, but the leaders in the matter will work hard to see that it is a success. A meeting will shortly be held to appoint the various committees who are to lay the matter before the public. It is also proposed, if possible, to secure the co-operation of the Madison County Ferry Company, whose steamers now land at the foot of North Market street.

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Free Drinks.

Several of the drinking fountains which have been the gift of the Rosicrucians to the city arrived in town yesterday. Five of them have already arrived and five more will be on hand before the end of the week. The fountains are of cast iron, very ornamental, and will be put up at different places in the city. They are provided with three basins, from which thirsty men, horses and dogs can regale themselves. At the top of each fountain on a brass plate; is the inscription: "A Gift to the Thirsty from the Rosicrucians." The society pays all the expenses of the fountains, including the cost of putting them up, the water being furnished gratis by the city. They will all be in place next week.

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ABOUT TOWN.

JOHN BROWN had a little razor in his pocket when arrested last night. To-day he paid $10 for indulging himself in that pocket-piece.

THE Vandalia train from New York was three hours late this morning in arriving at the Union Depot.

THE young married son of Postmaster Hays carved a turkey Sunday which had two hearts—a phenomenal feature worthy of observation.

ANTON HIRSCH, who lives at 115 Poplar street, had a lacerated hand dressed at the Dispensary this morning. While at work in a planing-mill he fell against a circular saw. Dr. Priest dressed the injured hand.

THE trial of the damage suit Conway vs. Boshert, a property-owner's claim of $5,000 against a rendering establishment in Butchertown on account of noxious vapors and odors, an alleged nuisance, is still progressing today before Judge Adams and a jury.

THE election of officers of Kirkwood Lodge, No. 484, A. F. and A. M., last night, resulted as follows: James B. Wilde, W. M.; W. O. Bragg, S. W.; George C. Brand, J. W.; Henry T. Mudd, Secretary; J. Heege, Treasurer; E. H. Lycett, S. D.; Charles Harwood, J. D.

THE police have opened prosecutions on the proprietresses of disreputable houses on prominent streets running east and west who have refused to remove to less public places when requested to do so. Nearly a dozen cases of this character are now docketed in the First District Police Court from Chestnut street.

THE ladies of the Central Presbyterian Church, corner of Lucas and Garrison avenues, will hold a church fair and festival, commencing to-morrow evening and continuing the two following evenings. Many fancy and handsome articles have been made by the ladies for Christmas presents, and dinners and suppers will be served during the progress of the festival.

ABRAHAM SLEIPSKEY and Lawrence Rafferty were in Fadel Cooper's saloon, northwest corner of Seventh and Morgan streets, about 3 o'clock this morning. They both became involved in a disturbance of the peace and were arrested, Rafferty being strongly under the influence of liquor. In the Second District Police Court this morning Rafferty testified that Sleipskey took $20 from him and returned $5 of it. Denison fined Sleipskey $200 on the evidence.

LAST night some miscreant who knew the value of "Butler," a thoroughbred, and known as the celebrated East St. Louis trotter, the pride of its owner and the envy of the Stock yards boys, willfully and with malicious intent did take, purloin and secrete the aforesaid trotter. In other words, Ed Cullen's small bay horse, with one white hind leg and branded R. H. on left shoulder, has been stolen from the stables near the Stock-yards, and now the racing laurels of East St. Louis are in jeopardy of being lost. N. B.—Saddle and bridal were also stolen.

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"The Highest Punishment."

Bruno Trauman, a boy who does not speak English, was arraigned in the Criminal Court to-day on a charge of grand larceny. He was under age and on this account a plea of petit larceny was accepted. He was without counsel or advice, and as usual the State recommended "the highest punishment." The boy was accordingly fined $100 and costs, and though he asked to be sent to jail the State would not consent and he was sent to the Work-house. It was his first offense.

THE MILITIA ARMORY.

To-Night's Meeting at the Pickwick an Assured Success.

The mass meeting in the interest of the new armory will be held at the Pickwick Theater to-night. The enterprise is in good hands and success is assured. It will be remembered that the new armory, corner of Nineteenth and Pine streets, is now partly completed. The dimensions are 193x107 feet, and the assembly-room will be larger than the hall of the Merchants' Exchange—in fact, the largest in the West. Already $35,000 has been raised, and an additional sum of $15,000 is required to complete the building. Committees have been appointed to canvass all the business interests, and the object of to-night's meeting, to which the public is invited, is to hear the reports of the chairmen of these Committees and to give the movement a big boom. Speeches will be made by Messrs. John W. Noble, Geo. A. Madill, Samuel Cupples, Gerard B. Allen and others. Mr. Henry Hitchcock was expected to deliver an address, but he is absent in Washington. It is expected that the reports of the committees to-night will show that more than the sum required has been raised, and that everybody will be happy. A reporter met Mr. W. A. Hargadine, one of the prime movers of the enterprise, this morning, and found that gentleman brimful of enthusiasm.

"Will the meeting be a success to-night?" asked the reporter.

"Yes," said Mr. Hargadine, "of course it will. It is sure to be."

"Have any of the committees reported yet?"

"Yes, a great many of them. The remainder will be on hand to-night. I know that my committee, that on dry goods, etc., has reported, and a right good report it is."

"So the money will be raised and the armory must go up."

"Of course it must. I feel like 'Fresh' about this thing. 'Twas said we could do it, and when we say we can do a thing we don't mean that we may fail. No, everything promises a great success at to-night's meeting."

Mr. Joseph Franklin said that while not actually engaged in the arrangements for the meeting, he was very much interested in the scheme.

"The money will be raised, will it not?" asked the reporter.

"Well, I cannot say of my own knowledge, but I hope it will. It ought to be raised. I am pretty sure it will."

Other members of the committees who were seen reported encouraging progress and were sure that to-night's meeting would clinch the scheme surely. The meeting will be called to order at 8 o'clock.

THE WAGNER DIVORCE.

Painful Charges and Counter-Charges Involving a Prominent Family.

The burden of divorce trials in Judge Thayer's court for some days past has interfered with the dispatch of other business before that bench, and this morning the court considered the transfer of one divorce case to another division—the contested case of David F. Wagner against Ellen R. Wagner. This is one of the most painful recitals of matrimonial infelicity in the record of divorce under the dome. The plaintiff is a young man, son of Judge David Wagner, formerly of the Supreme bench. The young people were married July 31, 1873, at Canton, Lewis county, and they have two children, Clarence, seven years of age, and Gertrude, five years old. The husband charges that the wife, ignoring her duty as a wife and mother, deserted and abandoned her home and children against the wish of her husband and without lawful excuse three separate times: the first for three months; the second time, in 1877, for six months, and the third, in 1880, for five months. Mr. Wagner further charges that his wife has been in the habit of keeping late hours, leaving home during the day and night and upon her return the following day refusing to account for her absence; that she made a practice of associating with improper people, male and female, that her language toward her husband was indecent, insulting and improper habitually, and that she indulged in strong drinks, all of which the husband alleges rendered his condition intolerable. Mrs. Wagner has filed an answer and cross-bill, in which she states that until September last she lived with her husband, and at all times demeaned herself faithfully and endeavored to do her duty as a wife and a mother. Mrs. Wagner avers that her husband on the other hand wilfully refused and neglected to support his family for a period of three years; that he wrongfully charged his wife with infidelity, and upon several occasions cruelly whipped her, beside calling her horrible names. During 1874 Mrs. Wagner alleges that her husband drove her out of the house at midnight, compelling her to seek shelter and protection beneath the roof of her sister, and on one occasion in 1874 her husband beat her and fired a pistol. Mrs. Wagner further charges that her husband denied the paternity of the second child, and that in September, 1880, he cruelly whipped his wife, wrenching her arm and so abusing her that it became necessary to call in the police. The case will probably be tried by Judge Adams.

New Buildings.

The Laclede Gas Light Company will build a two-story brick office on Main street, between Howard and Mullanphy streets. Cost is estimated at $2,000.

Permission was granted Peter Connell to erect two two-story brick dwellings on Summit avenue, between Clark and Larned avenues, to cost $5,900.

Three hundred dollars are to be expended by Larkin & Sheffer in the repairing of a chemical factory, located on Myrtle street, between Seventh and Eighth streets.

A boiler-house to cost $400 is to be erected on Myrtle street, between Second and Third streets, by Larkin & Sheffer.

F. Uthoff received a permit to do repairing to the amount of $800 on a frame dwelling located on Fall street, between Summer and Parsons streets.

A frame dwelling costing $20 will be built on Carrie street between Second and Main streets, by Wm. Johnson.

A Vexed Question.

The Court of Appeals, affirming to-day the case of the State Savings Association against the Boatman's Saving Institution, takes occasion to say:

"The decision of respectable courts may be adduced for and against the proposition that the holder of a banker's check may maintain an action at law against the bank having funds of the drawer, where presentation has been duly made and payment demanded. We have held that the action is maintainable. To say that our conclusion is one against which strong reason may not be urged would be to say that the question is not *res ata questio*, but it is a *vexata questio*. It is to be hoped that the question may be before long set at rest in Missouri by the Supreme Court."

The Bauman Estate.

Letters of administration were granted to-day to Marianna Bauman executress of Louis Bauman, estate valued at $110,000,00. The will bearing date of November 14th, 1881, provides as follows: Teresa Greenfield, of Ft. Scott, daughter, receives $5,000; Hanna Sarefelder, widow and her children, $5,000; Meyer, Solomon and Samuel Bauman, Matilda Frank, Ricka Hallendall and Clara Rosenblatt, sons and daughter of deceased, received each $10 only, on account of their already being in comfortable circumstances. The residue of the property passes to the widow and at her death to the sons and daughters named above.

Bond Forfeited.

This morning the case of Frank Shannon, the colored boy who shot and instantly killed Eliza Letcher last July a year ago was called in the Criminal Court. Shanon was firing a pistol loaded with powder and ball on July 4, a year ago, when he missed his target and killed the girl. He was charged with manslaughter and released on $500 bond. To day he failed to answer and the bond was declared forfeited. William Keating is security.

Quashed.

An indictment charging James Collins with burglary was quashed in the Criminal Court this morning and the defendant was discharged. Mr. Thomas S. Harvey, attorney for the defendant, contended successfully that the indictment did not state that the house broken into was one in which goods are usually kept, as the statutes say in describing the offense. Judge Laughlin heard Mr. Harvey's argument and discharged the defendant.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

The English Press Comments on Blaine's Instructions.

News Wafted by Cable Across the Ocean—Irish Matters—The Ring-Theater Fire—European Echoes.

England.

LONDON, December 13.—The Marquis of Hantington visited Ireland, it is supposed, to obtain personal information in regard to the condition of the country for the benefit of the Cabinet.

A BALLOON.

LONDON, December 13.—The absence of news from the balloon in which Walter Powell was carried to sea Saturday causes a sensation. Powell had the project to cross the Atlantic in a balloon.

THE JEANNETTE.

LONDON, December 13.—At a meeting of the Royal Geographical Society last night a proposition was made that a ship be sent next summer to aid in the search for the Jeannette.

STANLEY MEMORIAL.

LONDON, December 13.—A meeting will be held at the Chapter House of Westminster Abbey to-day to consider the subject of creating a fund for a memorial to the late Dean Stanley. The Prince of Wales will move resolutions which will be seconded by Lord Granville and supported by Lowell, the American Minister.

DEATH OF A JOURNALIST.

Maitland, one of the proprietors of the Liverpool Mercury, and president of the Press Association, is dead.

ON AMERICAN DIPLOMACY.

LONDON, December 13.—The Standard, in a leading article on Blaine's instructions sent the American Minister at Lima, says: It may be absurd, but it is only carrying the Monroe doctrine to its legitimate conclusions to assume that [illegible] and by we shall see representatives deputed from Washington to control the actions of the Emperor of Brazil with the European powers and the savages of Patagonia invoking the aid of a United States Commission to settle their differences. What is the temper of the Cabinet at the present moment we can only judge from the growth of the Chauvinist sentiment and the confused discussion of the canal question. As to Peru, it is not wholly, perhaps, matter of sentiment. It is true Blaine has resigned and the Americans will have no longer to admire the glowing periods in which he has maintained the pretensions of his country, but American diplomacy is uniform. It will be much the same whether the dispatches are penned by Frelinghuysen or Blaine. It is not improbable President Arthur may soon announce that peace is restored and a new protectorate by the United States established.

Austro Hungary.

VIENNA, December 13.—Twenty-seven bodies were removed from the ruins of the Ring Theater yesterday; also a quantity of fragments of bodies; also feet and hands which were not burned.

Spain.

LONDON, December 13.—In the Spanish Senate yesterday the Minister of Finance stated that excommunications to editors for criticisms of the clergy would be inquired into. The Treasury Department of Spain sends Cuba 15,000,000 pesetas.

Germany.

LONDON, December 13.—A Berlin correspondent says the Emperor William is deeply affected by the Vienna disaster. He has sent two officers of the Berlin Fire Brigade to make inquiries regarding the circumstances.

Indications.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 13.—For Tennessee, Ohio Valley and Lower Lake Region, cloudy and rainy followed by clearing weather, warm southwest veering to colder northwest winds, falling followed by rising barometer. For Upper Lake Region, rain or snow, followed by much colder, clearing weather, northwest winds, higher barometer. For Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys, colder, clearing weather, northwesterly winds, higher pressure. The display of cautionary signals at [illegible] ports except Milwaukee, Grand Haven and Ludington will be discontinued on and after the 15th inst.

Wrestling Challenge.

LOUISVILLE, KY., December 13.—Duncan C. Ross, the champion wrestler of America, has issued a challenge to Wm. Muldoon for $500 to $1,000 a side for a mixed contest, three best in five, Ross agreeing to give Muldoon two falls without contesting. He also challenges any man in the world to a contest for any sum up to $1,000. One hundred dollars is now deposited at the Turf Exchange in faith of the challenge.

The Newark Broken Bank.

NEWARK, N. J., December 13.—The directors of the Mechanics' Bank have raised $700,000 for the reorganization of that institution. The depositors of sums exceeding $200,000, excepting corporate depositors, will be paid seventy-five per cent, and lesser depositors will be paid in full.

Terrific Gales.

BOSTON, December 13.—The steamer Malta, from Liverpool, reports a series of terrific gales and shipped a sea sweeping over the vessel fore and aft and throwing two men against the bulwarks, killing them instantly. The boatswain, J. Huron, was thrown to the deck and had his leg broken.

Wall Street Gossip.

NEW YORK, December 13.—The stock market opened with but little change from yesterday's closing prices except in Metropolitan Elevated, which opened at 96 as against 93 at the close yesterday. Up to 11 o'clock prices changed but fractionally.

Died.

LAGRANGE, KY., December 13.—Hon. John W. Clayton, Presiding Judge of the Oldham County Court, died last evening at 10:10 o'clock, in the eightieth year of his age.

Respited.

UTICA, N. Y., December 13.—The Governor has respited Ostrader, to have been hung at Rome Thursday.

Marine.

LONDON, December 13.—The steamships City of Chester, Helvetia and Silesia, from New York, and Circassian, from Portland, have arrived out.

NEW YORK, December 13.—Arrived: State of Nevada, from Glasgow; City of Montreal, from Liverpool.

River Telegrams.

CAIRO, ILL., December 13.—Arrived: Gold Dust, Vicksburg, 3 a. m. Departed: Paris, Cincinnati; Brown, New Orleans, 11 p. m.; Holiday, New Orleans, 3 a. m.; Rhea, Nashville, 7; Gold Dust, St. Louis, 9. Cloudy and warm.

MEMPHIS, December 13.—River falling. Arrived: City of Greenville, from Vicksburg. Departed: Joseph Henry, St. Louis, 5 a. m.; City of Vicksburg, Vicksburg, 10 a. m. Cloudy.

EVANSVILLE, December 13.—No arrivals or departures. Cloudy and mild. Light rain. Wind fresh from the South. Mercury 58° to 60°. River 9½ feet and falling. No business.

LOUISVILLE, December 13.—River falling; 7 feet in canal; 4 feet 10 inches in chute on falls. Cloudy and warm, with light rains this morning.

WHEELING, December 13.—River 6 feet 3 inches and falling. Departed: Wyoming, Pittsburg, 10 a. m. Weather cloudy and showery.

CINCINNATI, December 13.—River 12 feet 3 inches and stationary. Cloudy and pleasant. Arrived: Sidney, Wheeling.

PITTSBURG, December 13.—River 3 feet 3 inches and stationary. Mild and rainy.

Captives of Cupid.

Marriage licenses were granted to-day as follows: Theodore A. Bingham, Lieutenant in U. S. army, and Lucille Rutherfurd; Edward B. Pryor and Belle F. Barnett; Wm. Kuechler and Tillie M. Schacht; Charles Schleuter and Lena Berg; Joseph Erastus Jones and Annie Strieve; Wm. H. Coltman and Angie Corder; Edward W. Dulon and Catherine Schaw; Lorenz Giblem and Emma Stroh; Louis Laitner and Amelia Stamm.

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THE INDIAN NATIONS.

How Presbyterianism Flourishes Among the Five Tribes.

Rev. S. A. Stoddard, of Muscogee, Indian Territory, visited the rooms of the Presbyterian Board of Publication this morning. He was accompanied as far as St. Louis by Hon. J. J. Tufts, U. S. Indian agent for the five civilized tribes, J. S. Atkinson and wife, all of Muscogee, also by Judge Stidman, of Eufalla, Indian Territory. He reports the death last Wednesday of Rev. Steven Forenan, 75 years of age, and the oldest and only native Presbyterian preacher of the Cherokee nation. The Indian was buried at Park Hill, the old Mission station. Mr. Stoddard states that the Presbyterianism in Mission work is making rapid advancement in the line of churches and schools. There are four churches in the Cherokee nation, three in the Creek nation, and one church and a Mission school in the Seminole nation. The Spencer Academy in the Choctaw nation, formerly under the supervision of the South Presbyterian Church, will hereafter be controlled by the Board of Foreign missions of the North Presbyterian Church. A new mission school is soon to be erected in the Choctaw Nation near the Spencer Academy. There are two large high schools in the Cherokee Nation, one for males exclusively and the other for females: also an orphan asylum, and orphan high school combined which both sexes attend. Each of these schools is capable of accommodating 150 pupils. There are are also over 100 day schools in the Cherokee Nation taught indiscriminately by white and native teachers who receive from $30 to $35 a month. The Creeks have thirty day schools, all of which are taught in the same way. The Seminoles have one mission school and about five day schools. The Mission schools are supported by the Indian National fund. A new passenger depot is being built at Muscogee. The most prominent men of the nation take a great interest in the churches and schools, in the schools especially. The Cherokees are the most advanced of all the tribes.

TO-MORROW.

What the River Convention Committee Proposes to Do.

The impression seems to have prevailed that the committee appointed by Mr. Dunnell, the Chairman of the River Convention, was to have met to-day. This is not the case. The date set was December 14. Several of the members of the committe have already arrived in the city and it is anticipated that all of them will be on hand to-morrow.

The meeting will be called to order by Gov. Stanard in the reading-room of the Merchants' Exchange at 10 o'clock, and members will please be present without further notice. The work immediately in hand is the preparation of a memorial on the subject of Mississippi River improvement to be submitted to Congress during its present session. The draft of this memorial has been already prepared by the St. Louis part of the committee and will be submitted to morrow. It is already in type, and, after reviewing the the construction and work of the late convention, goes on to ask of Congress a large appropriation for river improvements.

A reporter met Mr. Halliday, of Cairo, one of the members of our committee, and asked him what he thought he would be done tomorrow. "Well," he replied, "Until I see the other members I can't say. The memorial will be approved I have no doubt, and sent on."

"What do you think will be the result?"

"The result will be great, Just look at that map," said he, pointing to the signal service chart, "and see the extent of the Mississippi Valley. The little bit outside of it is not worth reclaiming.

Two Years in the Penitentiary.

Henry Euermeier, charged with entering Henry Peterson's saloon, on Lami and DeKalb streets, pleaded guilty to grand larceny in the Criminal Court by agreement to-day and was sentenced to two years in the Penitentiary.

CITY PERSONALS.

MRS. HALL was assessed $20 by Judge Jecko this morning for speaking to a neighbor in an unladylike manner.

WILLIAM ADAMS was arrested to-day on a charge of cruelty to animals, preferred by the Humane Society.

THE will of Frederick Fischer, bearing date October 17, 1881, was admitted to probate to-day. The property is left to the widow, passing at her death to the children.

Miss Kitty Sands, of Chicago, after a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. Sam A. Snow, at the Southern, takes her departure for home this evening to prepare for another trip to the Netherlands.

Commodore Sanford B. Coulson, proprietor of the Coulson Line of Upper Missouri River steamers, and Capt. Dan W. Maratta, his general superintendent, were visitors on 'Change to-day. They are stopping at Hotel Barnum.

WHAT SHALL I BUY FOR MA OR PA FOR CHRISTMAS?
Go to corner of Fourth and Olive
And buy a pair of
Aloe's celebrated $5 gold spectacles or eye glasses.

Go to Cooper for silverware.

Hotel Personals.

T. A. Spicer, Cincinnati, is stopping at Barnum's.

W. B. Moore, Chicago, is registered at Barnum's.

J. W. Bishop and son, Keokuk, are registered at Barnum's.

J. H. Bethum and family, Charleston, Mo., and A. H. Danforth, are at the Hotel Barnum.

O. Colb, Chicago; S. G. Leonard, Springfield, O.; S. Carmichael, Roanoke, Mo., are at the Hotel Barnum.

Judge G. W. Stidham, Indian Territory; Capt. T. B. Coulson, and Capt. D. W. Maratta, Dakota Territory, are at the Hotel Barnum.

R. E. Jewett and Geo. Baywie, Zanesville, O.; S. S. Stakey, Nevada City, Mo.; John O. Bannon, Buffalo, Mo., and W. Rain, Grafton, W. Va., are at the St. James.

T. Turner, Nashville; T. G. Taggart, Butler, Mo.; Col. C. B. McAfee, and John O'Day, Springfield, Mo.; J. M. Peacock, Austin, Tex.; C. M. De Graf, Gorham, N. Y., are at the Laclede.

C. B. Hotchkiss, Brooklyn, N. Y.; F. H. Woodworth, Cincinnati; Norman Lichty, Des Moines, Ia.; L. E. Fay and Erwin Steinbach, New York; Gorham Rogers, Boston, and J. W. Johnson, Houston, Tex., are at the Southern.

W. A. Conkling, New York; J. H. Van Hoose and B. R. Davidson, Fayetteville, Ark.; A. Buchard, Little Rock; T. W. Swope, Kentucky; M. H. Foster, Boston; T. M. Young, Burlington, Ia., are at the Planters'.

Capt. W. P. Halliday, Cairo; P. H. Casey, Romeo, Mich.; W. H. Binnian, Peoria J. E. Dalton, T. M. Bessett and M. J. Thompson, New York; M. W. Meininger, Minnesota; Warren Green and W. H. Dillingham, Louisville; Geo. D. McDaniels, Columbus, O.; Richard King, Jr., Texas; Geo. R. Palund, Boston, are at the Lindell.

Legal Notes.

In the case of Anderson vs. Pump and Skein Company, final judgment for $586 51 was rendered to-day in Judge Lindley's court.

The case of Fruin et al. against the South St. Louis Railroad Company was dismissed to-day in Judge Thayer's court on motion of plaintiff.

The case of Hannon against the Famous Shoe and Clothing Company was dismissed to-day in Judge Adams' court on motion of plaintiff.

Receiver Bent was to-day ordered by the court to pay $1,500 to F. J. McMaster for services as attorney in the St. Louis Mutual Insurance litigation.

Judge Boyle disposed to-day of the suit of J. Kenna d & Sons' Carpet Company against the Windsor Flats Company, giving judgment for plaintiff for $606 25.

The trial of the Vierling damage suit against Charles Stifel & Co., the brewers, for personal injuries received through machinery at the brewery, is still in progress before Judge Horner and a jury.

THE CITY HALL.

Yorkey Pete and the Mayor—Small Pox—Notes.

Yorkey Pete, the newsboy, dropped into the Mayor's office at noon to-day, with a clean face, a striped shirt and blue necktie on as ornamental accessaries of his every day attire, and asked to see his honor. "Yorkey" was shown into the inner precincts where he was nicely received by Mayor Ewing.

"Eh, good mornin' Sur" said Yorkey, pulling off his yellow cap and twirling it in his right hand.

"Good morning, Yorkey, answered the Mayor; "What's the matter now?"

"Oh, a nothin' sur—nothin' much. Eh, eh, eh, but h'I k—k—kum ter see if you would do anythin' for us, a—a—a—bout hour Gazette—the Street Boys' Gazette—an' hour 'ome, you know, ez we've a bin a talkin' hup in the papers sur."

The Mayor asked Yorkey if he had a collection book, and the newsboy answered no. Then the Mayor told him what to do, to call a meeting of the boys, have a committee appointed to solicit subscriptions, select some prominent citizen like Geo. Bain to receive and take care of the funds, and otherwise interest the good and benevolent people of the city in the project. Yorkey listened attentively to the Mayor's advice, and said he would act in accordance with. He then thanked his Honor and left. Yorkey is giving head and heart to the work of providing a home for newsboys and bootblacks. He is devoting a good deal of time to going around among prominent citizens enlisting them in his cause, and the chances are that one of these days his work will be crowned with success. If there ever is a Newsboys' Home "Yorkey Pete's" statue should crown the edifice.

SMALL-POX.

There was no new case of small-pox to-day. The late report from Quarantine last night brought the news of the death of Edward Ash at 7:45 a. m., and Rutherford B. Hicks at 6 p. m. Last evening Lillybeck Andrews and Annie Carr were in a critical condition, but all other patients in the hospital were doing well. At the Dispensary Drs. Carson, Priest, Rennick and Gobel vaccinated 417 persons, the majority children students. This is the largest vaccination day so far. Notwithstanding the rain to-day, there were a great many applicants for inoculation.

CITY HALL NOTES.

Ten burial permits were issued to-day.

City collections to-day: licenses $778 86; taxes $22,686 93.

The Council Committee on Public Improvements meets at 4 p. m. to-day.

The Board of Directors of the House of Refuge meets in the Mayor's office at 3 p. m. to-morrow.

The Health Commissioner sent Margaret Teel, John Quinlan, Mary Newcomb and Teresa Jennings to the Insane Asylum to-day.

Anton Hirsch, of 115 Cedar street, had his right hand badly lacerated to-day by a circular saw at Bousach's mill, on Main and Plum street.

The Board of Public Improvements had a meeting this morning, at which only routine business was transacted. The only thing of any importance that was done was to set a day for a hearing of street reconstruction matters.

A crazy woman who belongs to the Water Tower Methodist Church writes to the Mayor to day asking permits to carry concealed weapons for herself and husband. She says the people of their neighborhood threaten their lives.

THE ONLY SCIENTIFIC OPTICIAN
in the West is A. S. Aloe, corner of Fourth and Olive streets.

A Magnificent Gift.

Probable the largest gift which has yet been recorded in St. Louis was made the other day by Mr. Nicholas, president of the Commercial Bank, to Mr. Wells Blodgett, a gentleman equally well-known in St. Louis. The story runs that Mr. Nichols very quietly told Mr. Blodgett that he had something he wished him to accept, at the same time handing him an envelope. It contained a deed of gift to a cotton plantation not far from Yazoo City, Miss., of 1,400 acres. Of course Mr. Blodgett was surprised and delighted at this magnificent present, which is said to be one of the most productive and valuable plantations in the State of Louisiana. Its value is said to be something under $80,000. A reporter asked Mr. Nichols about the matter this morning, but found that gentleman very reticent about the affair. He expressed surprise and regret that the matter had leaked out, and while admitting the fact that he had given the plantation to Mr. Blodgett he seemed very much indisposed to have anything said about the matter.

The new proprietor is now on his way south to inspect his new domain with the intention of settling on it.

WE are keeping a dry goods store, and will try the experiment thoroughly as to whether a real live house, selling goods at the close Eastern prices, can succeed in St. Louis.
B. NUGENT & BRO.

COOPER, Diamond Merchant, 209 N. Fifth street.

The Emerich Case.

The case of Charles P. Emerich, charged with manslaughter is docketed in the Criminal Court to-day. Though this case was instituted in 1878 it has never yet been disposed of. On January 2, 1878 Maggie Gibbons, a servant girl, died at No. 807 South Main street. The Coroner's investigation and the post mortem examination revealed the fact that the girl was in a delicate condition and on the testimony adduced C. P. Emerich and John T. Smith were arrested. Smith was released and a warrant charging Emerich with manslaughter was issued. The case was called for trial this afternoon.

Fishing.

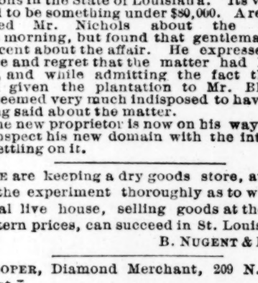
The fishers have been fishing to some purpose lately, Black River being fairly alive with St. Louis sportsmen, Craig Alexander, Alex Smith and Will Boyd have been making a great catch at Knobel Lake, eight miles below Black River in Arkansas. The usual crowd are down at Camp Prather. John O'Fallon Delaney, Ben Woods and a party of eight are at Jasper's Point, on Black River. Ellis N. Leeds, Oliver Hart and Rev. J. W. Lews are just above Corning Bridge, on the same stream. The catch of bass, croppy, jack salmon and pickerel is unusually large.

The mails for North Missouri carried over the western division of the Wabash road will close on and after to-day at 7 p. m. in lieu of 7:50 p. m., on account of the delay occasioned by the St. Charles bridge disaster.

THE case of Aaron King, who killed Blunt Robertson, was continued in the Criminal Court until next term.

THE court has ordered the sale of the Heyer glucose factory on the 5th of January, subject to approval of court.

MOUND CITY
411 N. FOURTH ST.



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For sale by all the leading jobbers of tobacco and groceries in St. Louis.

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The Most Popular and Best Health Beverage Extant.
It is highly recommended for ladies in delicate health and during confinement; while it is especially beneficial to Nursing Mothers, convalescents, or patients recovering from prostrating fevers. The weakest stomach retains it readily, and, being pre eminently nutritious, it is the best health beverage known.
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MARRIED.

EDWARDS—TURLEY—On the evening of December 12, 1881, North Park Place, at the residence of the bride's father, Capt. Francis Watkins, by Chaplain G. G. McIlhe, in charge of education in the U. S. Army, MARY A. TURLEY to HARRY EDWARDS, of London, England.

DIED.

HEYMAN—KAROLINA HEYMAN, beloved wife of Wm. Heyman, after a lingering illness, in the 51st year of her age.

Funeral at 9 a. m., Wednesday, from the residence, 2433 Market street. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FUREY—On Monday, December 12, 1881, at 9 o'clock p. m., ANN, wife of the late Michael Furey, age 73 years.

The funeral will take place Wednesday, December 14, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., from the residence of her son-in-law, D. Johnson, No. 2624 Stoddard street, to St. Bridget's Church, thence to Cavalry Cemetery. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

New Haven, Conn., and Memphis, Tenn., papers please copy.

MESSMER—At Quarantine, Sunday, December 11, at 5:20 a. m., MICHAEL F. MESSMER, aged 49 years 11 months and 11 days.

Kansas City papers please copy.

SINCLAIR—Monday evening, December 10, at 5 minutes before 7 o'clock, WILLIAM SINCLAIR.

"A wise son maketh a glad father."

"The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away. Blessed be the name of the Lord."

AMUSEMENTS.

PICKWICK THEATER.
Wednesday Evening, December 14, 1881,
Complimentary Benefit of MISS JOSIE BUSH.
On which occasion the standard drama of "Ingomar" will be presented. Miss Bush as "Parthenia." Tickets $1. For sale at Bollman & Son's music store.

WILL YOU STOP?

If contemplating the purchase of any DIAMOND Jewelry at or about this time, we would merely state that we have just (last evening) opened a lot of unset gems, also some entirely new designs in mounted stones, and without hesitation will say that more beautiful goods have never reached this city. Those desiring special styles can select the stones and have them mounted to suit, with a positive guarantee of satisfaction.

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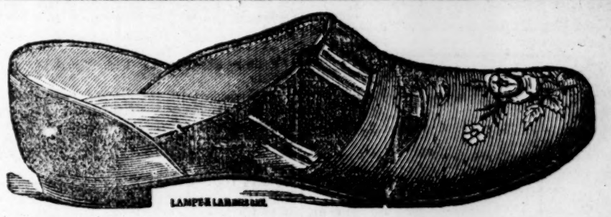

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We call attention to our large and attractive assortment of Gents' and Ladies' Slippers. We have always carried a heavier line of these goods than any house in the city, and we now offer a HOLIDAY STOCK double the size of any ever carried by us before. In GENTS' SLIPPERS ALONE we are showing this season over 100 styles, in the most elegant designs of hand embroidery ever offered. We have them in Cloth, Dressed Goatskin, Bronze, Black, Dark Blue and Red in color, Velveteen, Silk Velvet and Kid. The prices on this immense variety will run from $1 to $3 50 a pair. In LADIES' SLIPPERS our list is varied enough in quality and price to suit the most fastidious.

Curacoa Kid Slippers, Opera Cut, $1 10, $1 25, $1 50, $1 75, $2 50.
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Curacoa Kid Slippers, Bismarck Cut, Hand Sewed, Satin Bows and Buckle, $2.
Velvet Slippers, Sandal Cut, Hand Embroidered, one strap, $2 25.
Curacoa Kid Hand-Sewed Newport Slipper, French or Low Heel, $2 25.
Curacoa Kid Hand-Sewed 3-Strap Sandal Slipper, Satin Bows, $1 75.
Velvet Slippers, Hand-Embroidered, Opera Cut, $1 50.
French Kid Slippers, Elegant Bead Embroidery, Very Handsome, $3 25.
Cloth Slippers, Flannel Lined (for old ladies), Low Heel, $1 10.
Matt Kid Slippers, Hand-Sewed, Comfortable and Neat for Old Ladies, $1 35.
Morocco Slippers, Soft and Pleasant to the Feet, Low Heel, Common-Sense Last, for Old Ladies, $1 50.
Hand-Sewed Glove Kid, Flannel-Lined Buskins, for Old Ladies, $1 50.

We guarantee to sell this line of goods cheaper and to show a greater variety than any Shoe House in St. Louis or the West.

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CUBAN STOCK. CUBAN WORK.
"4" "Equal to any 10 Cent Cigar." "4"
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AMUSEMENTS.

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Immense Success of
N. C. Goodwin, Jr., and Eliza Weathersby.
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday Matinee, and Wednesday night,
HOBBIES.
Friday and Saturday evenings, and Saturday matinee,
MEMBER FOR SLOCUM.
Sunday, December 18—FRANK MAYO.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.
Last Week and End of the
"WORLD."
The Raft in Mid-Ocean.
An immediate success. Audience liberal and enthusiastic. All the brilliant spectacular features retained.
Next week—Mr. THOS. W. KEENE.

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Of America's Greatest Prima Donna,
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Will commence Friday, December 9, at 3:30 p. m. and Saturday, 10, at 10 a. m., for ladies, misses and masters. Gentlemen's class, Tuesday and Friday, at 8 p. m.

AMUSEMENTS.

POPE'S. | COMEDY WEEK
MR. JOHN S. CLARKE.
This Tuesday evening and Saturday matinee—THE MILITIA MAJOR.
Wednesday and Thursday evenings, double bill Mr. Clarke in both comedies—THE HEIR AT LAW and TOODLES.
Friday and Saturday evenings—ELOPEMENT IN HIGH LIFE and PAUL PRY.
Monday, Dec. 19—Announcement extraordinary—Boston Ideal Opera Company.

PEOPLE'S THEATER.
Corner Sixth and Walnut streets.
To-night. Matinees Wednesday and Saturday at 2.
John R. Rogers' Comedy Co.,
Supporting Miss MINNIE PALMER and Mr. R. E. GRAHAM, in Wm. Gill's delightful musical comedy,
MY SWEETHEART.
Sunday, December 18—HYDE & BEHMAN'S MULDOON'S PICNIC COMBINATION.

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Every possible Design, for Parlor, Office, Saloon or Chamber.
Price from $1.50 to $300.00.
Warranted Good Timepieces
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PERSONAL—Dora, meet me this evening [illegible] sharp, same place we met last.

THE MAYOR'S VISITORS.

Queer People Who Fall Into the Hands of Philanthropist McGrew.

The man who sits in the Mayor's office and listens to the tales unfolded by everybody who comes in—the tramp, the beggar, the criminal and the occasional citizen who drops in to ask if he hasn't any rights which people in authority are bound to respect—must be possessed of a grist of good nature and a heart full of benevolence, besides having a particularly bright and everlasting faculty for judging faces and keeping his temper. For he has an unusually hard and thankless time of it, and anathemas are more frequently and more earnestly bestowed upon him by his visitors than blessings. Sergeant McGrew is the smile-wreathed and tender-hearted gentleman who sits at the rail in the outer precincts of the Mayor's office and receives everybody. He fills the position with such satisfaction to the city and to the people who have business with the Mayor, especially the deserving poor, that if his canonization were put to a vote he would be crowned a saint in six minutes, and his name would go down in the calendar as "St. Alexander McGrew, Philanthropist," with his feast spread over every one of the 365, and sometimes 366 days in the year. The poor are always with the Sergeant. They strike him when he reaches the office early Monday morning and stay with him until late Saturday night. He has a kind word for all of them, mixed now and then with a little bit of advice that may seem stern, but is, nevertheless, well meant and begotten of the best wishes in the world for the person to whom it is given. The Sergeant was philanthropically inclined when he assumed his present position under Mayor Brown more than eight years ago; since then his great heart has grown larger, his smile broadened and deepened, and poor applicants at the Mayor's office, if they have a true and worthy story to tell, find his nature as malleable as the red-hot metal. He often goes down into his own pocket to relieve distress rather than send a deserving applicant away empty-handed when the city is not able to extend the desired aid.

The Sergeant had hardly time to take off his hat after coming in yesterday morning when a middle-aged, well-dressed couple opened the door and came in. They were a Pennsylvania Dutchman and his wife. The man was afflicted with the asthma, and they had come all the way from the seacoast in search of health.

"Where do you want to go to?" the Sergeant asked.

"Vell, ve vould like to go mit Fort Worth, Texas," the husband replied.

"Have you got any money?"

"About twenty thaler."

"How did you get here?"

"Ve bought our tickets to St. Louis."

"And you want the Mayor to help you on to Fort Worth?"

"Yaw."

"Well, my dear man, I'm sorry for you. The least I can say to yourself and your wife is that you have both acted unwisely and foolishly. People who travel for their health generally have money to pay their expenses, at least that is the custom in the West here. I don't know how it is in the East. I am very sorry, but we cannot do anything for you."

"But Jesus Christ says that everybody should helb dose in affliction?"

"Yes, I know," said the Sergeant; "but we have done so much of that sort of thing this side of the Mississippi that we have got tired of it. It don't pay, especially in a city like St. Louis, that has to spend $1,200 a day to take care of its own poor. I sympathize with you in your affliction, but I cannot help you into Fort Worth. The law doesn't allow it."

The Pennsylvania couple left the office sadder and wiser than when they entered and the Sergeant turning to the POST-DISPATCH reporter said: "That sort of business was the last thing here Saturday night and you see it's the first thing Monday morning. There's no let-up to it."

THE most assiduous parental attention will frequently fail to prevent coughs, colds, croup, etc. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is a most valuable remedy to have convenient when needed. Price 25 cents.

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BARGAINS in jewelry at Cooper's.

LAST NIGHT'S FIRE.

Burning of C. & L. Rose's Pork-House —Loss and Insurance.

Just as the 65 men employed in the packing department of C. & L. Rose's pork-house, corner of Virginia and Elizabeth streets, were quitting work at 6 p. m. yesterday, a smell of burning lard was noticed. The men rushed out into the street and saw dense black smoke rolling up from the rear. An alarm was turned on from box 236, in the neighbornood, but before the alarm had struck the pork-house was bidden in black smoke. The establishment proper is located on the corner of Joab and Elizabeth streets. The fire last night was located in the slaughtering and packing department, which stands upon the above corner, fronting on Elizabeth street. The structure is 150x110 feet, covering nearly the whole block, being built partly of wood and partly of brick. The frame building is very old, having stood there for many years, the brick part being more recently constructed, and being connected with the other by a number of loose doors. When the firemen arrived the structure was doomed. Assistant Chief Lindsay first came on the ground, and he immediately turned on a second alarm, which brought out Chief Sexton and a full detail of engines. The fire burned fiercely among the grease and smoke, and was exceedingly hard to fight. The entire premises north of the alley had been entirely consumed, only one corner of the frame building and the walls of the brick one being left intact. The fire burned obstinately for two hours. All the department could do was to prevent the spread.

The buildings belong to Conrad and Louis Rose, while J. B. Ambs was associated with them in the business, having a one-third interest in the stock, etc. Mr. Ambs states that if the stock is a total loss the entire damage will be $120,000, the stock being valued at $100,000, and the buildings at $20,000.

Mr. Conrad Rose, who was in the building at the time the fire originated, was unable to state the cause. He says the firm will rebuild immediately. The total insurance is $55,000, made up as follows: On the stock in the pork-house, $37,500; on the smokehouses, $3,000; on the meat in the ice-house, $5,000; on the buildings and machinery, $10,000.

The packer of the "Neptune" brand of oysters, Mr. Thomas H. Dorsey, foot of Tenth street, North River, N. Y., writes: I had a sprained arm, and St. Jacobs Oil was applied. It reduced the swelling and eased the pain at once, proving it a remedy of rare worth.

Go to Cooper for diamonds.

Coal Scuttles
Are very useful and some of them quite handsome, but they don't mix up well with silks, satins and laces. We are willing to stick to the silks and let some one else handle the coal scuttles. B. NUGENT & BRO.

BARGAINS in gold necklaces at Cooper's.

A Model Fire Item.

As two reporters of the POST-DISPATCH were inspecting a chemical experiment in Ritter's saloon, on Locust street, the cry of "fire" rang out upon the air.

"'Tis the Lindell Hotel," said one, and they chartered a special street car and hurried to the scene of the conflagration. But it was not the Lindell. It was the ash-box in the cellar of Balmer & Weber's music store, No. 311 North Fifth. Loss, one broken window worth $1. Covered by insurance.

BUY your Christmas presents at Cooper's.

AMUSEMENTS.

POPE'S.

There was a good house at Pope's last night to greet John S. Clarke, the comedian, who made his reappearance after an absence of twelve years. The play was "The Widow Hunt," with Mr. Clarke as Maj. Wellington De Boots. He was surrounded by a good company and the performance was excellent in every feature. Mr. Clarke is a comedian of extraordinary power. He is refined and artistic in the highest degree, and his work is clean and cleverly done in every detail. His face, gestures, movements and attitudes accord in giving the earnest expression of humor to every comic phrase or situation, and from beginning to end of the performance there is a continuous manifestation of mirth in the audience which shows that the comedian has gauged his ability to amuse and entertain the people. In De Boots last night Mr. Clarke was as funny as anybody could be and everybody present was delighted with his acting. To-night he appears again as Major Wellington De Boots.

OLYMPIC.

"Hobbies" was repeated last night to a good audience that was delighted with the overbubbling fun of the piece, and applauded Nat Goodwin and Eliza Weathersby in a most generous and deserving manner. "Hobbies" will run until Friday night, when "The Member for Slocum" will be put on.

PEOPLE'S.

Mr. John R. Rogers' company, with Minnie Palmer and Robert E. Graham as the stars, had a large audience last night again, and repeated "My Sweetheart" to an audience that enthusiastically applauded every song and dance in the play. Miss Palmer is a most pleasing soubrette, and Graham in his imitations of Joe Emmet is almost as good as the prototype.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.

"The World" is still running successfully at this theater, the wonderful scenic effects and the excellent dramatic features combining to make the entertainment attractive. On Thursday handsome souvenir programmes will be presented to all who attend.

NOTES.

Roller skating at the Natatorium every night.

The whale will be here on the 19th. The lot at the corner of Fourth and Spruce streets will be placed in readiness to receive the monster, which will spend the holidays in the city. Go and see it for your Christmas gift.

Clara Louise Kellogg will give two farewell concerts on Friday and Saturday evenings. Miss Kellogg's company includes, Brignoli Tagliapietra and Adamowski. Tickets are now on sale at Messrs. Balmer & Weber's music store.

"Ingomar" will be played at the Pickwick to-morrow evening at the complimentary benefit tendered to Miss Josie Bush by her many friends here. Miss Bush will then make her dramatic debut as Parthenia, and will be supported by a company of talented amateurs.

Do Be Sensible
And buy something that is useful when you do make a present. There are lots of things now on sale in the immense stock of Simmons Hardware Company that will not only last for years, but give constant pleasure and be of great service, all of which can be had at prices so far *below* usual market rates that it will pay you to go to Ninth and Washington avenue to buy.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

Geo. Bellum, a freight brakeman on the Missouri Pacific, was killed near Sedalia, Mo., Monday night.

The warehouse of W. H. Moore & Co., at Halifax, was burned to the ground Monday. Loss over the insurance $100,000.

An engineer named Frank Anderson, was scalded to death on Sunday, in a railroad accident near Baltimore, Ohio.

An old man named Jacob Snively was killed near Pleasant Hill, Mo., on Sunday, by being run over by a locomotive.

Martin Packett was sentenced Monday to be hanged at New Madrid, Mo., on the 20th of June next for the killing of James Barnes.

Vance Wilson, a murderer, was forcibly released from jail at Clinton, Ill., on Sunday night by a body of masked men and set free.

John Wilson, a colored boy about fifteen years of age, was killed near St. Joseph, Mo., on Sunnday, by the accidental discharge of a shotgun.

An Italian named Peter Pestarino was fatally stabbed on Sunday night, near San Francisco, by Giatano Giocatta, the brother of his betrothed.

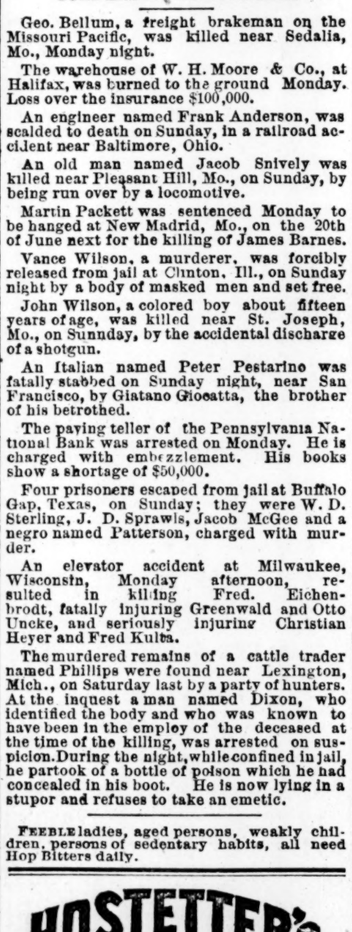
The paying teller of the Pennsylvania National Bank was arrested on Monday. He is charged with embezzlement. His books show a shortage of $50,000.

Four prisoners escaped from jail at Buffalo Gap, Texas, on Sunday; they were W. D. Sterling, J. D. Sprawls, Jacob McGee and a negro named Patterson, charged with murder.

An elevator accident at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Monday afternoon, resulted in killing Fred. Eichenbrodt, fatally injuring Greenwald and Otto Uncke, and seriously injuring Christian Heyer and Fred Kulbs.

The murdered remains of a cattle trader named Phillips were found near Lexington, Mich., on Saturday last by a party of hunters. At the inquest a man named Dixon, who identified the body and who was known to have been in the employ of the deceased at the time of the killing, was arrested on suspicion. During the night, while confined in jail, he partook of a bottle of poison which he had concealed in his boot. He is now lying in a stupor and refuses to take an emetic.

FEEBLE ladies, aged persons, weakly children, persons of sedentary habits, all need Hop Bitters daily.



In Hosts of Families
Hostetterr's Stomach Bitters is as much regarded as a household necessity as sugar or coffee. The reason of this is that years of experience have proved it to be perfectly reliable in those cases of emergency where a prompt and convenient remedy is demanded. Constipation, liver complaint, dyspepsia, indigestion and other troubles are overcome by it.

For sale by Druggists and Dealers, to whom apply for Hostetter's Almanac for 1882.

LEGAL.

Orders of Publication.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
October Term, 1881.
Tuesday, November 22, 1881.
Fannie Stewart
vs.
Frank F. Stewart.

It appearing from the petition heretofore filed herein that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, wherefore, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney.

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony contracted between plaintiff and defendant, on the grounds of abandonment, failure of support and habitual drunkenness.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis POST-DISPATCH, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 23d day of November, 1881.

SEAL
CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
John G. Boyle, pl'ff's att'y. 10

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
October Term, 1881.
Wednesday, November 16, 1881.
Lovice Barney
vs.
Henry C. Barney.

It appearing from the affidavit to plaintiff's petition that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, and that he has absented himself from his usual place of abode in said State, and that he has concealed himself so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, therefore, on motion of said plaintiff by her attorney.

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a judgment and decree of this court authorizing the said plaintiff to sell and convey the following described real estate, to-wit:

Ninety-eight 90-100 acres in E. Patterson's survey 2442, in township 47, range 6 east, of the county of St. Charles and State of Missouri; bounded on the one side by Ezra Overall and on the other by John Miltenberger, and on one end by a county road (for a more particular description reference is made to Moses B. Robbin's estate); and for leave to sell and convey any other real estate she may have or acquire or any part thereof, and to sell her personal property undisposed of.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis POST-DISPATCH, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 18th day of November, 1881

SEAL
CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
M. M. Keag, att'y for pl'ff. 2C

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1881.
Wednesday, December 7, 1881.
Casander Dow
vs.
James Dow.

Now at this day, it appearing to the court from the petition and affidavit this day filed herein that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, wherefore, on motion of plaintiff by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between the plaintiff and defendant, on the grounds that the defendant, wholly disregarding his duty as the husband of plaintiff, has absented himself from plaintiff without any just or reasonable cause for the space of one year next before the filing of the petition herein, and that said defendant has offered the plaintiff such indignities as to render her condition intolerable.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered by the court that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis POST-DISPATCH, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of December, 1881.

SEAL
CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
W. H. H. Russell, attorney for plaintiff. 84C

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1881.
Wednesday, December 8, 1881.
Mary Nesbith
vs.
Frank Nesbith.

Now at this day it appearing to the court from the affidavit to plaintiff's petition herein that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of plaintiff by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant on the ground that the defendant has abandoned and deserted plaintiff, and has absented himself from her without maintaining her for the space of more than one whole year preceding the institution of this action.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, within and for the city of St. Louis, on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis POST-DISPATCH, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 10th day of December, 1881.

SEAL
CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
F. A. C. Macmanus, attorney for plaintiff, No. 1101 Franklin ave. 81C

Administrators' Notices.

ESTATE of John M. Bass, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of

John M. Bass,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis on the 10th day of December, 1881.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 12th day of December, 1881.
HECTOR NEUHOFF,
91C Administrator.

ESTATE of John Cavanagh, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters testimentary on the estate of

John Cavanagh,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis on the 15th day of October, 1881.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 15th day of October, 1881.
CHARLES GREEN,
Executor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as Administrator of the estate of the late Isaac H. Keim, will sell at public sale, at the office of Haggerty & Dewes, 411 and 413 North Fifteenth street, St. Louis, beginning at 11 o'clock a. m., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22D, 1881,

all the personal property belonging to said Keim at the time of his death, including:

1. A very choice assortment of brandies and wines.
2. A library of over 2,000 volumes, containing rare and valuable works in the Latin, Greek, English, French, German, Italian, Spanish and Russian languages. Complete catalogues will be furnished free of charge to all persons applying to the undersigned at 706 Pine street.
3. Certificate No. 461, for $77 55 paid as taxes to the Iron Mountain Railroad Company.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash or credit not to exceed one year upon note of purchase, with approved security, at 6 per cent interest. For further particulars apply to the undersigned, at 706 Pine street.

CHARLES H. TURNER,
Administrator of Isaac H. Keim, deceased.
71C

NOTICE is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of

Catherine Waggonner,

deceased, that I, the undersigned administrator of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of December next.

ALBERT V. WAGGONNER, Adm'r.
St. Louis, November 12, 1881. 92W

NOTICE—Pursuant to the order of the St. Louis Circuit Court made this 7th day of December, 1881, appointing the undersigned referee to hear and allow claims against the partnership estate of

Cunningham & McAllister,

notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that they must on Thursday, the 15th day of December at 2 o'clock p. m., present for allowance every and all claims against the estate to the undersigned at his office, No. 206 North Eighth street, in the city of St. Louis, Mo. JAMES M. CARPENTER, Referee.

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Trustees' Sales.

TRUSTEES' SALE.—Whereas by its certain indenture dated the fourteenth day of February, 1876, and recorded in book 9 of mortgages on page 373 and following, in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Jackson county, State of Illinois, the Grand Tower Mining, Manufacturing and Transportation Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Illinois, did convey to the undersigned as trustees the following described property, namely, the corporate franchises of said company and all the following described tracts and lots of land, to-wit:

In township nine south, range one west of the Third Principal Meridian: Part of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section sixteen, commencing at a point on the line between the northwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the Illinois Central Railroad, thence running north 6 degrees 30 minutes west, and parallel with the said railroad 16 50-100 chains; thence north 84 degrees 30 minutes east 6 6-100 chains; thence south 5 degrees 30 minutes east 16 50-100 chains; thence south 84 degrees 30 minutes west 6 6-100 chains to the place of beginning; the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter; that part of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter lying west of the Illinois Central Railroad; thence the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter and the east half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section sixteen.

In township eight south, range two west of the Third Principal Meridian: The southwest quarter of section seven; the south half of the northeast quarter and the southeast quarter of section twenty-six; the north half of the southwest quarter and the south half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-eight; the northwest quarter of section twenty-nine; the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section thirty-one; part of the west half of the northeast quarter of section thirty-two, commencing at the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of said section, thence east 27½ rods, thence north 114 rods, thence west 27½ rods, thence south 118 rods to the place of beginning, and the north half of the northwest quarter of said section thirty-two; the south half of the south half of the northwest quarter; the north half of the southwest quarter; the northeast quarter and the southeast quarter of section thirty-three; the northeast quarter and the south half of section thirty-four; the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section thirty-five; the east half of section thirty-six.

In township nine south, range two west of the Third Principal Meridian: The west half of the northeast quarter of section one; the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter and the south half of the southeast quarter of section two; the north half of the northeast quarter, the northwest quarter; the southwest quarter and one hundred acres off the west side of section three; the northeast quarter of section four; the southeast quarter of section five; the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of section seven; the northeast quarter excepting 26 66-100 acres off the east side of said quarter, the northwest quarter and the southeast quarter of section eight, the northeast quarter, all that part of the southwest quarter lying south of the Big Muddy River, the southwest quarter and the southeast quarter of section nine, the northeast quarter, the northwest quarter; the southwest quarter and the southeast quarter of section ten, the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter, the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter, the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, and the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section eleven; the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter, the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter and the west half of the southwest quarter of section fourteen; the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter; the west half of the northeast quarter; the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter; the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter; the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter; the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter; the east half of the southwest quarter; the east half of the southeast quarter, and the west half of the southeast quarter of section fifteen; the north half of the northeast quarter; the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter; the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter, and the northwest quarter of section sixteen.

In township nine south, range three west of the Third Principal Meridian: The south half of the northeast quarter, the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter and the southeast quarter of section one; the north half of the northwest quarter and the section three; the west half of section five; the southwest quarter of section eight; the west half of the southwest quarter of section thirty-three.

In township ten south, range three west of the Third Principal Meridian: The northwest quarter of section nineteen, the west half of the southeast quarter, of section 20, the east half of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter, and the southeast quarter of section twenty-nine; the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section thirty commencing at the half mile corner on the west side of said section, thence north along the range line 14 68-100 chains, thence east 27 25-100 chains, thence south 14 68-100 cnains, thence west 27 26-100 chains to the place of beginning; the southwest quarter of section thirty; that part of the northwest quarter of section thirty-one, commencing at the northwest corner of said section, thence east to the half mile corner on the north line of said section, thence south 70 deg. 15 min. west to the Mississippi River, thence up said river to the line between ranges three and four, thence north to the place of beginning.

In township ten south, range four west of the Third Principal Meridian: Fractional southeast quarter of section eleven; the northwest quarter and the southwest quarter of section thirteen; the fractional northeast quarter of section fourteen, excepting so much thereof as may have been legally reserved by Jacob Kunce and wife in their deed of conveyance to Jacob Hoch of record in the Recorder's office in volume five of Deeds, page 238, in said county; the fractional southeast quarter of section fourteen; the fractional section twenty-three, excepting and reserving from the effect of this conveyance all lots heretofore sold or conveyed to purchasers thereof of and from the party of the first part; the northwest quarter of section twenty-four, excepting and reserving from the effect of this conveyance all lots heretofore sold or conveyed to purchasers thereof of and from the party of the first part; that part of the fractional southwest quarter of section twenty-four commencing at the southeast corner of the southwest fractional quarter of said section, thence north 40 45-100 chains to the center of said section, thence west on the line between the northwest quarter and the southwest quarter of said section 22 67-100 chains to a stake, thence south 20 degrees east to a point on the line between sections twenty-four and twenty-five distant 4 75-100 chains from the half-mile corner between said sections, thence east 4 75-100 chains to a stake, thence west of a line parallel to said north line to the section line between section twenty-three and twenty-four, thence north on said line to the place of beginning, that part of the fractional southwest quarter of section twenty-four commencing at the southwest corner of said quarter section; thence north 20 degrees west along the bank of the Mississippi river 13 77-100 chains; thence north 42 degrees west along the bank of said river 7 45-100 chains to the southeast corner of fractional section twenty-three; thence north in the line between fractional sections twenty-three and twenty-four 1 74-100 chains; thence east on a line parallel to the north line or said fractional southwest quarter section 26 50-100 chains to a stake; thence south 30 degrees east 22 51-100 chains to a the stake on the line between sections twenty-four and twenty-five, distant 4 75-100 chains from the half mile corner between said sections thence west on said line 25 33-100 chains to the place of beginning; that part of fractional section twenty-five commencing at a stake on the line between sections twenty-four and twenty-five, and distant 4 75-100 chains west of the half mile corner between said sections, thence south 40 degs. east 15 chains to a stake at the foot of Walker's Hill, thence north 54 degs east 10 chains, thence north 40 degs. west 9 26-100 chains to a point on the section line between sections twenty-four and twenty-five, thence west on said line 11.55 chains to the place of beginning; that part of fractional section twenty-five, commencing at a stake on the line between sections twenty-four and twenty-five, and distant 4 75-100 chains west of the half-mile corner between said sections, thence south 40 degrees east 5 chains, thence south 54 degrees west 18 75 100 chains to the Mississippi River, thence northward along the bank of said river to the northwest corner of fractional section twenty-five, thence along the line between said sections twenty-five 35-100 chains to the place of beginning; that part of fractional section twenty-five lying on the river side in front of the surveyed plat of lots and streets of Marshall A. Evans' addition to the town of Grand Tower, which plat is of record in the Recorder's office in book "Y" of deeds, page 268, in said county; that part of fractional section twenty-five commencing at a point on the bank of the Mississippi River distant 29 40-100 chains northward from a point where the south line of said section strikes the said river, thence north 55 deg. 30 min. east 31 35-100 chains to the east line of said section, thence on said line north 5 deg. 30 min. west 6 17-100 chains, thence north 6 deg. 30 min. west 9 81-100 chains, thence south 59 deg. 5 min. west 35 91-100 chains to a stone, thence south 31 deg. 5 min. east 2 chains, thence south 59 deg. 5 min. west 5 chains, thence north 31 deg. 5 min. west 2 chains, thence south 59 deg. 5 min. west 82-100 chains to the said river, thence down said river to the place of beginning, excepting the tract previously granted to Frederick Shlick et ux. by said party of the first part, bounded as follows: Commencing at a point on the Mississippi River distant 2 chains southward from the northwest corner of a tract of land heretofore conveyed by a deed from Wash L. Harris and wife to the Mount Carbon Coal and Railroad Company, which deed is of record in the Recorder's office in book Q2, page 556, in said county; thence north 59 degrees east 5 59-100 chains to a stone; thence north 31 degrees west 2 chains to a stone; thence north 59 degrees east 18 18-100 chains to a stone; thence south 31 degrees east 9 54-100 chains to a stone; thence south 59 degrees west 32 73-100 chains to the Mississippi River; thence along bank of said river to the place of beginning; that part of fractional section twenty-five commencing at the southeast corner of said section; thence along section line west to the Mississippi River; thence along the bank of said river north 34 degrees 40 minutes west 22 40-100 chains; thence north 55 30-100 east 31 75-100 chains to the range line; thence southward 34 45 100 chains to the place of beginning. The fractional section thirty-six, including thereunto, belonging to

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said party of the first part in said mortgage deed, to-wit: said Grand Tower Mining, Manufacturing and Transportation Company, and located in said Jackson county, State of Illinois. Which conveyance was made to the undersigned trustees in trust to secure the payment of principal and interest of two certain issues of bonds in said deed fully described; and whereas interest has become due as expressed on the face of the series of bonds designated in said deed as "absolute interest bearing" bonds and such interest has remained unpaid sixty or more days after the same became due and after demand made for the payment of such interest at the agency of said company in the city of New York by reason of which default the principal sums named in each and all of the two series of said bonds have also become due and payable; and whereas such interest and the principal of said bonds still remain due and unpaid, and the undersigned trustees have received a written request of the holders of at least one-half of the absolute interest-bearing series of said bonds that the said mortgaged lands, lots, premises and property be sold in one lot or parcel to pay said indebtedness. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned trustees in said deed will,

ON THURSDAY, THE 23D DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1882,

at Grand Tower, Illinois, at the front or western door of the office of said company, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, and at public auction for cash, to the highest bidder, sell all of the lands, lots, premises and property of every kind, description and character aforesaid, and all benefit and equity of redemption of said company, its successors or assigns therein, but there will be reserved from such sale a tract of ten acres which was on September 29th, 1880, conveyed by said company and the undersigned trustees to the Mount Carbon Coal and Coke Company by deed, which is recorded in book 16 of Deeds, at page 371 in said Recorder's Office of Jackson County, Illinois, to which deed and the record thereof reference is now made for a further description of said ten acres.

WM. H. WISNER,
R. S. GRANT,
Trustees.

HITCHCOCK, LUBKE & PLAYER,
Attorney for Trustees,
404 Market street, St. Louis, Mo.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas by deed dated 11th day of February, 1878, recorded in the Recorder's office of the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, in book 686, a page 182, John A. Schwebel and Louisa, his wife, conveyed to the undersigned trustee the following described real estate in said city and State, to-wit: Lot numbered one (1) in block numbered three (3) of South Stoddard Addition to said city of St. Louis, according to an amended plat thereof on record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in said city, having a front in the south line of Manchester Road of twenty feet more or less, and one-half inches by a depth of one hundred and twenty feet to an alley twenty feet wide, together with the buildings and improvements thereon. Said lot being the lot acquired by said Schwebel by deed recorded in said Recorder's office in book 547, page 153; which conveyance was in trust to secure the payment of certain notes in said deed described. And whereas said notes are long past due and unpaid, now, at the request of the legal holder of the same and in accordance with the provisions of said deed, the undersigned will, on

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proceed to sell the property above described at public vendue or outcry to the highest bidder, for cash, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m., of that day, for the purpose of said trust.

W. B. Homer att'y, 411 Olive street. LEVI DAVIS, 68C Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas, by a certain deed of trust, dated May 15, 1880, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in St. Louis in book 629, page No. 482, there was conveyed to the undersigned trustee the following described real estate, situate in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, to-wit: Lots 26, 27 and 28 in block 1, Charles Larned's addition to the city of St. Louis and in city block 2258, having an aggregate front of 84 feet 1½ inches on the north line of Gratiot street by a depth of 120 feet to an alley, which conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of certain promissory notes therein described; and whereas one of said notes described in said deed has become due and remains unpaid, and the taxes upon said property have not been paid as provided for in said deed. Now therefore, in pursuance to the provisions of said deed of trust, and at the request of the holder of said notes, the undersigned trustee will, on

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between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of that day, at the eastern front door of the Court-house in St. Louis, Missouri, offer said property for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, for the purposes of said trust.

JNO. M. GILKESON,
Trustee.

WHEREAS, by deed of trust bearing date May 9, 1874, and recorded in the office of Recorder of Deeds for Macoupin county, in the State of Illinois, in book 13 W, on page 308, Edward Carpenter and wife conveyed to the undersigned trustee the following described tracts of land, in said Macoupin county, to-wit: The west half of the southwest quarter of section eighteen, township nine, range eight, containing eighty acres; also the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section nineteen, in said township and range, containing forty acres; also the south half of the northeast quarter of section five, township eight, range nine, containing eighty acres; also the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section five, in said last named township and range, containing forty acres; and whereas said conveyance was made to secure payment of a certain note for the sum of thirty-nine hundred dollars in said deed of trust described; and whereas said note is due and wholly unpaid: Now, therefore, the undersigned, at the request of the holder of said note and in accordance with the covenants of said deed, will proceed to sell the property above described at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1881,

between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purposes mentioned in said deed of trust.

FRANK J. DONOVAN,
62C Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas, by their certain deed of trust dated October 27, 1879, and recorded in book 617, page 419, of the Recorder's office of the City of St. Louis, Mortimer E. Flint and wife conveyed to the undersigned, as trustee, the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit: A lot of ground situated in city block No. 1014 of said city, to-wit: Beginning thirty feet west of the point where the south line of Locust street crosses the west line of Ewing avenue, thence westwardly along the south line of Locust street twenty-nine feet and nine inches to the east line of lot lately owned by Beverly Jackson, and now by Russell; thence south along the east line of said Jackson lot one hundred and thirty-four feet and eight inches to an alley; thence eastwardly along the north line of said alley twenty-nine feet and nine inches to a point thirty feet west of the west line of Ewing avenue; thence northwardly and parallel to Ewing avenue one hundred and thirty-four feet and eight inches to the place of beginning, which said conveyance was made to secure the payment of a certain negotiable promissory note in said conveyance described, and which said note has long since become due and now remains unpaid. Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note and in conformity with the provisions of said deed, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, on

THURSDAY, THE 29TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881,

I will proceed to sell the said real estate at public sale, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy the conditions of said conveyance and defray the costs and expenses of said trust.

CHESTER H. KRUM,
Trustee.
St. Louis, December 6, 1881. 45C

Assignees' Notices.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.—Creditors and others interested in the estate of Merrean Bogard are hereby notified that the undersigned, assignee of said estate, will proceed publicly to adjust and allow demands against the estate of the said Merrean Bogard in the office of Klein & Fisse, attorneys at law, rooms 5, 6 and 7, Lucas Building, southwest corner of Fifth and Olive streets, in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, on

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JANUARY 12TH, 13TH AND 14TH A. D. 1882,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of each of said days; and all creditors who shall not attend at the place above designated on the days and during the hours above named and lay before the undersigned assignee the nature and amount of their demands, will be precluded from any benefit of said estate.

WILLIAM E. FISSE,
Assignee of Merrean Bogard.
St. Louis, November 29, 1881.
KLEIN & FISSE, Attorneys.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ASSIGNMENT OF Broadway Savings Bank—Notice is hereby given that John R. Lionberger, assignee of Broadway Savings Bank, has filed and exhibited to the Circuit Court City of St. Louis a statement of the accounts of his trust to the December Term, 1881, of said court, together with proper vouchers, and that said accounts will be allowed by said court in room No. 3 on Monday, the 19th day of December, 1881, unless good cause to the contrary be shown.

CHARLES F. VOGEL,
Clerk Circuit Court City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, December 8, 1881.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ASSIGNMENT of the estate of Eugene Capelle. Notice is hereby given that Perry Bartholow, Assignee of the estate of Eugene Capelle, has this day filed and exhibited to the Circuit Court City of St. Louis a statement of the accounts of his trust to the October term, 1881, of said court, together with proper vouchers, and that said accounts will be allowed by said court in room No. 3 on Friday, the 16th day of December, 1881, unless good cause to the contrary be shewn.

CHARLES F. VOGEL,
Clerk Circuit Court City of St. Louis.

IN MATTER OF THE ASSIGNMENT OF Ronald McDonald.—Notice is hereby given that Charles E. Bradley, assignee of Ronald McDonald, has filed and exhibited to the Circuit Court City of St. Louis a statement of the accounts of his trust to the December term, 1881, of said court, together with proper vouchers, and that said accounts will be allowed by said court in Room No. 2, on the 23d day of December, 1881, unless good cause to the contrary be shewn.

CHARLES F. V

Kansas City News.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, MO., December 13.—Saturday, at Green Valley, this county, Wm. Carmichael was attacked by four men named Hidleberger with axes. The difficulty grew out of a lawsuit. Carmichael backed into the fence-corner and told the attackers to keep away. They made a rush for him. He pulled a revolver, shot and mortally wounded David Hidleberger, who died last night. He is justified for shooting.

Near Minerville yesterday some scoundrel chained a heavy oak tie to the track of the H. & St. Joe R. R. freight train. No. 12 ran into it, but was not wrecked. The tie was evidently put there to wreck the Rock Island passenger train.

A Double Tragedy.

DETROIT, December 13.—A double tragedy occurred at Coldwater at an early hour this morning in a house of ill-fame kept by Miss Nettie Wheeler, better known as Net Davis. While entertaining some company about 1 o'clock with vulgar songs sung by herself and her girls, her husband called her into the kitchen and remonstrated against any further singing of that sort, when she replied she wouldn't if he didn't wish it. He immediately shot her through the breast, when she ran to the parlor and fell dead. The murderer put three bullets into his own body, which resulted fatally at once Jealousy is supposed to be the cause.

A Murderer Sentenced.

DETROIT, December 12.—Lambertus Voskamp was found guilty at Kalamazoo this morning of the murder of Lyman Cady in Ottawa county in May last. The trial lasted over a week. The defense set up insanity. The jury was out an hour and a half. The verdict gives great satisfaction, as the public are getting rather tired of the insanity plea in murder. Voskamp was sentenced to the State prison for life, the extreme penalty in this state.

A Time Card by Induction.

One George Grant, so-called for want of a better name, has developed a very curious and tolerably well-paying industry upon which he is thriving well. Mr. Grant has conceived the idea that what the Missouri Pacific Railroad wanted was an entirely new and original time-card embellished with advertisements of the leading business houses of St. Louis to decorate the stations and dead wall lying, situate, and being between here and the city of Mexico. He at once conceived a time-card and proceeded to get the necessary advertisements, charging therefor from $1 up to $20. Finding that the people were not celerous with their funds, he sat down and evolved a let ter from General Passenger Agent Chandler, indorsing himself and probably made as much as three or four hundred dollars by his neat little swindle.

Some of his victims have been calling around on Mr. Chandler to know when the time-card is coming out with their advertisements, and thus the fraud was discovered.

The Mercantile Club.

The Mercantile Club Committee has deferred the signing the lease with Mr. Lucas for 412 and 414 Pine street, because some question has arisen touching the odors from surrounding kitchens and restaurants, which, it is thought, may prove very unpleasant in summer. The location otherwise is very desirable and the terms acceptable. A further search for a suitable clubhouse is now being made and the committee has determined not to locate anywhere until every surrounding feature has been thoroughly examined, for the location decided upon will be a permanent one.

Local Weather Report.

SIGNAL OFFICE,
ST. LOUIS, MO., December 13, 1

Time.	Ther.	Wind. Direction.	Wind.	Weather.
6:07 a. m.	29.8	S	8	H'vy rain.
10:07 a. m.	39.9	S	8	Cloudy.
2:07 a. m.	49 7	S	8	Lt. rain.
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Maximum temperature, 63.
Minimum temperature, 57.
Rainfall 60 inches.

H. J. WEBER,
Sergeant Signal Service U. S. Army.

THE inquiry before Judge Woerner and a jury in the Probate Court, touching the mental condition of Mr. F.W. Springmeyer, a wealthy German citizen and a director of the Biddle Market Bank, was resumed this morning. The relatives were placed on the stand to testify concerning the old gentleman's drinking habits and the case was given to the jury at 1 o'clock.

FORTY-ONE cases were tried in the Carondelet Police Court last month, of which 22 paid fines, 13 went to the Work-house and 6 were dismissed. $375 57 fines and costs were assessed, of which $140 25 was collected, $218 50 satisfied at the Work-house, and $8 returned mulla bona.

LOUIS ACKERMAN was arraigned in the Carondelet Police Court this morning for obstructing the crossing of a street car, and was fined $10 and costs.

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MONEY.

Quotations of Money, Silver, Bonds, Stocks and Other Securities, Etc

NEW YORK, December 13.—Money 6. Prime mercantile paper 6@7. Bar silver 112¾. Exchange steady; 60¾ long, 84¾ sight. Government unchanged except for 4½s registered and 4s coupons, which are ¼ higher. States inactive. Railroads light demand. Stocks —Since 11 o'clock speculations were generally firm, prices advanced 1¼ to 1¾, Nashville, Chattanooga and Louisville and Nashville leading the improvement. At noon there was a reaction of ¼@⅞, later in Texas Pacific, while Richmond and Danville fell 3¼. 6s extended 101; 5s 103; 4½s 114½; 4s 118½; Pacific 6s '95 127.

Rock Island	134¾	Mar. & Cin. 1st prfd.	18
Panama	135	second prfd.	8
Fort Wayne	125	R., C. R. & N.	81½
Pittsburg	165½	A. & T. H.	54
Illinois Central	134½	prfd	91
C. R. I. & P.	138¾	W., St. L. & Pacific	41½
Chicago & Alton	133¼	prfd	82
prfd	140	Hannibal & St. Joseph	118½
N. Y. Central	138¾	prfd	44
Harlem	210	St. L. & San Fran.	64½
Lake Shore	124	first prfd	84
Canada Southern	61	C., St. L. & N. O.	40¾
Michigan Central	92½	Kansas & Texas	19¾
Erie	45¾	Union Pacific	138
prfd	93¾	Central Pacific	63½
Northwestern	125¾	Texas Pacific	39¾
prfd	140	Northern Pacific	81
St. Paul	106¾	prfd	105½
prfd	120	Louisville & Nash	87¾
Del. & Lack	127	Nashville & Chat	77
Morris & Essex	136¾	L. & N. A.	90
Del. & Hudson E. Div.	108	Houston & Texas	80¾
N. J. Central	95¼	Denver & R. Grande	39
Reading	69¾	St. Paul & Omaha	103¾
Ohio	29¾	prfd	45½
prfd	107	Buffalo, Pittsburg & W	70
Chesapeake & Ohio	37½	Memphis & C.	....
new prfd	40	Western Union	89¾
Atlantic & Ohio	36½	Pacific Mail	44¾
Cleve'd & Col.	91¾	Adams	140
C., C. & I. C.	21	Fargo	184
Ohio Central	25¼	American	98
Erie & Western	43	United States	72
Peoria, D. & E.	89½	Quicksilver	13¾
Ont. & Western	30¾	prfd	59¾
Ind., B. & W.	51¾		

*Bid. †Offered. ‡Ex div

Corrected daily by Wm. C. Little & Co., Bankers and Brokers, 213 North Third street, city.

U. S. BONDS.

	When due	Interest payable	Bid.	Asked
6s 1's of 1881	1881	Jan. & July	101	101½
6s 2's of 1881	1881	M. A. N. & F.	102¾	103¾
6% per cent bds.	1881	J. & J. & M.	114½	115
5 per cent bonds	1907	J. & J. & O.	118¾	119

STATE BONDS.

Mo. 6's	1887	Jan. & July	103	104
Mo. 6's	1892-'97	Jan. & July	109	....
Mo. 6's	1888-'89	Jan. & July	110¾	111
Mo. 6's	1894	Jan. & July	114	116
Mo. 5-20's of 1878				
and 7's	1886-'98	Jan. & July	*102¾	....
Mo. 5-20's of 1877	1897	Jan. & July	109¾	110

*And interest.

ST. LOUIS CITY AND COUNTY BONDS.

City 6's, gold	1895-'96	Various	108	....
City 6's, gold	1898	May & Nov.	115	....
City 6's, 5's	1886-'87	Various.	107¾	....
City water 6's	1887	June & Dec.	107	....
City water 6's	1890	June & Dec.	110	....
City water 6's	1892	Apr. & Oct.	119¾	....
City 5's, gold	1900	Jan. & July	106	....
County 6's, gold	1895-'96	Jan. & July	116	....
County Park	1906	Jan. & July	117	120
County 7's c'y	1886	Jan. & July	107	109

Interest to seller.

RAILWAY BONDS.

Mo. Pac. 1st m 6s	1888	Feb. & Aug.	113¾	114¾
Mo. Pac. 2d m 7s	1891	Jan. & July	114	116
N. Mo. 1st m 7s	1895	Jan. & July	128¾	129¾
K. C., St. J. & C. B. 1st m 6s	1925	Feb. & Aug.	115	....
K. C., St. J. & C. B. 2d m 6s	1926	June & Dec.	112¾	....
K. C. P. D. Ex. 7s	1899	May & Nov.	109	111
K. C., St. J. & C. B. Consols	1919	May & Nov.	103¾	104
St. L. & I. M. 1st 7s	1897	Feb. & Aug.	....	117

LAND WARRANTS.

	Buying.	Selling.
Land warrants, 160 acres	$187	....
Land warrants, 120 acres	137	....
Land warrants, 80 acres	92	....
Land warrants, 40 acres	45	....

Clearings to-day	$ 2,760,328
Balances to-day	341,459

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COMMERCE.

Withdrawals of Grain at St. Louis,
FROM THE ELEVATORS FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT 7 A. M. TO-DAY.

	City	R. R.	River.	Total.
Wheat	15 264	10,818	.....	26.082
Corn	13.240	18.018	.....	31.234
Oats	6,157	1,840	.....	7.997
Rye	.....	2 604	.....	2.604
Barley	.....	.....	.....	.....

Stock of Grain in St. Louis Elevators at the Opening of Business To-day.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Rye.	Barley.
Total	827,101	810 912	90,334	97.721	71.084
Total yesterday	838,116	784,973	93,149	94.880	69 848
Dec. 14 1881	2207,588	1,189,620	220,966	41.629	39.097

Grain Inspections.

Wheat—4 cars No. 3 spring, 4 cars No. 2 Mediterranean, 15 cars No. 2 red winter, 20 cars No. 3 red winter, 4 cars No. 4 winter, 4 cars rejected winter. Total, 51 cars.

Corn—5 cars No. 2 white-mixed, 12 cars rejected white-mixed, 54 cars No. 2 mixed, 42 cars rejected. Total, 113 cars.

Oats—12 cars No. 2, 3 cars No. 2 white, 4 cars rejected. Total, 19 cars.

Barley—5 cars No. 3 spring, 1 car rejected spring. Total, 6 cars.

Rye—1 car No. 2. Total, 1 car.

Total, 190 cars.

Comparative Closing Prices at 1 p. m. To-Day.

	1880.	Saturday	To-day.
Wheat, No. 2 red	103¾	134½	134⅝
Wheat, January	103¾	137	137¼
Wheat, February	108¾	140¼	140⅝@⅞
Wheat, March	108¾	142⅛	142⅜
Wheat, May	.....	145¾	145¾
Wheat, No. 3 red	100	130@¾	129¾
Wheat, No. 4	84¾	119¾	119¾
Wheat, No. 2 Med	101	142⅛	142⅜
Corn, No. 2 mixed	41¾	63⅝	62⅝
Corn, January	40¾	64⅝	64⅝
Corn, February	41¾	64⅝ ask	64⅝
Corn, March	41¾	66⅛	65⅞
Corn, May	44	68⅛	68⅜
Corn, No. 2 wh. m	42	69¼	68@69
Corn, Rejected	35¼	58¾@60	59
Oats, No. 2	33¾	47½@48	47@48
Oats, January	35	47¾	47¾
Oats, February	35¾	48	48
Oats, May	37	49¾	49¾
Oats, Rejected	29¾	47	46
Rye, No. 2	85	100	100
Rye, Rejected	52	98	97
Pork, Standard	18.12½	17.00	16.75
Lard, Prime St'm	8¾	10¾	10¾
D. S. Shoulders	4¾	6¾@8	8 10
Clear Ribs	6.60	8.90	8¾
Short Clear	7	9¾@¾	9
Bacon Shoulders	5¾	7¾	7¾
Clear Ribs	7 60	10	10
Short Clear	7.80	10¾	10¾

The Markets.

FORENOON SESSION.

Flour—Receipts 5,626 brls. Very quiet, with moderate sales of small lots. Feeling easier and tendency downward. We quote: Fancy $6 80@7 00; choice $6 40@6 55; family $6 00@6 15; XXX $5 50@5 70; XX $5 20@5 30; X $4 85@5 00; superfine $4 50@4 60; fine $4 25@4 35; favorite brands 15@30c higher; patents $7 50@8 50

Wheat—Receipts 3,360 sks, 11,700 bu. Irregular. Futures in a perfect rut and extremely dull. Prices moved quietly in a small range, closing ⅛@⅜ higher. Grades were in shipping and milling demand, but small supply; No. 2 red, No. 3 red and No. 4 were lower, but Mediterranean stiff; No. 3 better. Cash No. 2 red sold at $1 34⅜@⅝, closing at $1 34⅜; Jan. at $1 37¼; Feb. at $1 40@⅜, closing at $1 40⅜@⅛; March at $1 42⅝@⅝, closing at $1 42⅛ bid; May at $1 45⅜; for Dec. $1 34⅜ bid; No. 3 red sold at $1 29@⅜, and $1 29⅜ bid for A.; No. 4 at $1 19½ in C.; No. 2 Mediterranean at $1 42¼ in his side; No. 3 do salable $1 34¾; rejected at 92; No. 2 spring (hard and soft) at $1 18; No. 3 do sold at $1 09 in A., $1 08 in St. L., $1 08¾ in E., and $1 08¼ bid for C.

Corn—Receipts — sacks, 81,500 bu. Better for No. 2 mixed, cash selling to order and speculative buyers; futures very dull, but closed at advances of ⅛@¾c. No. 2 white-mixed slow, but steady; rejected do dull; rejected lower, but ready sale to shippers. Cash No. 2 mixed sold at 62⅝@62¾; Dec. at 62¾; Jan. at 64¾@64½; Feb. at 65¼@65⅝; May at 68¾; for March 66⅝ and for June 69 bid; cash No. 2 white-mixed sold at 69 in St. L., 64¼ bid for C., 68 for regular; December 69, but offered late at 67¾; rejected do at 67¼ in V. and E., 68½ in C.; rejected at 59½@59 this and E. side.

Oats—Receipts — sks. 21,600 bu. Spot steady and in speculative and order and feeding request, the demand coming entirely for No. 2. Futures slow sale. Cash No. 2 sold at 47 in U. and V., 47¼ in A., 48@47¼ in E., 48 in St. L.; Dec. at 47⅛; later 47⅜@47⅝ bid; Jan. at 47⅜; Feb. at 48; May at 49¾@48⅝; for March 48 bid. No. 2 white offered at 48, no bids; rejected salable at 46 in St. L.

Rye—Receipts 9,000 sks. 2,500 bu.: firm and in demand for shipment, No. 2 selling E. side at $1; for rejected in St. L. 97 bid.

Barley—Receipts — sks, 12,500 bu. Dull and unchanged. We quote as follows: Rejected 75@80; prime 90@$1, choice $1 05@1 10, fancy $1 12½@1 15; Canada $1 10@1 25; California $1 25@1 30.

Hay—Receipts 224 tons. Market overstocked with damaged and common, which is about unsalable. Sound, good stock in demand and firmer. Sales this side—Prime to choice prairie $13@14 50; choice timothy $22 50. East track—Prime to choice timothy $18@20.

Millfeed—Weak and lower, sacked bran selling at 96@97 f. o. b. this side and 96 at mill.

Provisions were about as dull as they well could be, hardly any business being transacted, but the tone was firmer, as advices were more encouraging. Standard mess pork offered at $17 25 cash, bid $16 75; January at $17 12½, bid $17 75; February at $17 15, bid $17. For prime steam lard 10¾ was bid, but none to be had at that. Small sales of boxed dry salt made at 6¼ for shoulders, 8 80 for long clear, 8.85 for clear ribs, 9.15@9.20 for short clear; same cuts loose quotable at 6.10 and 8.70 and 8¾ and 9. In packed bacon the only sale was clear ribs at 10; shoulders worth about 7¾ and short clear 10¾. S. C. hams 11¾@12¾; favorite and fancy brands 12¾@13¾. Tallow 6¾@7¼, according to quality; green tallow 6@6¼. Breakfast bacon 12¼@13¾. Grease 4¾@5¾ for brown, 5¼@6c for yellow, 6@7¼c for white. Beef—Extra mess $13 00 per brl; family $7 25 per half brl; dried 11¼@13c per pound. Fresh smoked tongues $4 50@5 00 per doz. Salt—Domestic $1 50 per brl. Ground alum $1 90@1 25 per sack.

Highwines—Steady. Sales 173 brls at $1 16; Cincinnati $1 18; Chicago $1 17; Peoria $1 15.

Lead—Soft Missouri continues firm and salable at $6 85; but held at $4 90.

Closing Prices—3:15 P. M.

ST. LOUIS.

Wheat—December $1 35 bid; January $1 37¾ bid; February $1 41¾; March $1 43¾; May $1 46 bid. Corn—December 63¾; January 64¾; February 65¾; March 68¾; May 69; June 69. No. 2 white-mixed—December 68; January 69; February 70¾; May 75. Oats—December 47¾; January 47¾; February 48; May 40¾@¾.

TOLEDO.

Wheat—February $1 39¼; March $1 41¾. Corn—May 68¾ bid.

CHICAGO.

Inspections.—95 cars wheat—12 No. 2; 280 cars corn—38 No 2; 86 cars oats. Wheat—January $1 27¾; February $1 29¼@¾; March $1 30¾. Corn—December 60¾; January 61¼; February 61¾; May 66¾. Oats—December 46¾; January 46¼; February 45 bid; May 46¾. Pork—January $16 02½; February $17 10@12½; March $17 32½@35; April $17 52½ bid. Lard—December 10 90; no new 10.97½ bid; January 11.10; February 11 27½@.30; March 11.42½@.45; May 11.65 bid. Short ribs—January 8.65 bid, February 8.85; March 8.97½.

NEW YORK.

Wheat—December $1 40¾; January $1 42¾; February $1 45¾. Corn—December 69¾; January 70¼; February 72¼. Oats—December 50; January 50¼; February 51.

BALTIMORE.

Wheat—December $1 38¾; January $1 39¾; February $1 42¾; March $1 45. Corn—December 68; January 69; February 71¼.

MILWAUKEE.

Wheat—Dec. $1 32¼; Jan. and Feb. $1 29.

Cotton.

Spots unchanged at 11¼ for middling. Market quiet with sales of 775 bales. New York dull and easier at 11 15-16c. Liverpool dull. New Orleans quiet at 11⅜. Galveston steady at 11¼.

NEW YORK.

Futures closed steady. December 11.91; January 12.11; February 12.32; March 12.51; April 12 68; May 12 81; June 12.92; July 13.02; August 13.12; September 12.44; October 11.77; November 11.57. Sales 85,000 bales.

LIVERPOOL.

Uplands 6 9-16d; Orleans 6 11-16d; sales 6,000 bales. Futures closed: December and January 6 9 16d; January and February 6 19 32d; February and March 6 21-32d; March and April 6 23 32d; April and May 6¼d; May and June 6 25 32d; June and July 6 13-16d.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

BUTTER—We quote: Creamery Choice 38@39; fancy 40@41; seconds at 34@35; Dairy—Choice 32@33; fancy 34@35; medium to prime 25@29; fair 18@22; low grade 12@16. Nearby roll 20@25, as in quality; choice Northern 27@28.

CHEESE—We quote m.d make full cream 13@14; fair do 10@12; part skim 7@9; inferior 2@6.

EGGS—Quiet at 26c for guaranteed; 24@25 for current receipts.

POULTRY—Quote sweet stock: dressed turkeys 8@10c ₩ lb, top for fancy; chickens $1 00@$1 50 for common to medium; $2 00 for choice ducks $2@3 00; geese $5@6 ₩ doz; live chickens $1 25@3 00; ducks $2 00@2 75; geese $5@6 00, turkeys $5@8 ₩ doz.

GAME—Selected stock only: Woodcock $5 00; pheasant $5; duck mixed 75; teal $1 25; mallard $1 25@1 50; grouse $4 75@5 00; plover 50@60; squirrel 60; venison 5@6 ₩ lb for carcasses; saddles 7@10 to 15 outside wrapped in skin; wild turkeys 5@7c ₩ lb; snipe $1 00; rab bits $1 00@1 25; quail $1 75@2 00; jack rabbits $3@3 50; per doz; possum 10@25 each.

POTATOES—We quote choice: Northern 95c@$1 00 for mixed; $1 10@1 15 for rose and pearless; $1 10@1 15 for peachblow ₩ bu; Eastern—New York rose at $1 10@1 17½; burbanks $1 15@1 25; peerless $1 15@1 20; Canada rose $1 10@1 05 per bu.

ONIONS—Choice red $2 25@2 50 ₩ brl; $1 10@1 20 ₩ bu; Eastern yellow at $1 15@1 20 ₩ bu; $2 75@3 ₩ large brls.

SWEET POTATOES—Yellow Nausemond $4 00 and red do and Bermuda $3 75@4 ₩ brl.

CABBAGE—Choice on orders $5 00 ₩ crate.

CARROTS—On orders at $1 75@2 ₩ brl.

CELERY—10@15 to 35@40 ₩ dozen, top choice.

HORSERADISH—Sells on orders at $5 50@6. $2@3 to $5 ₩ brl.

RUTABAGAS—Loose 30@35c ₩ bu; $1 50@2 ₩ brl on orders.

BEETS AND PARSNIPS—On orders at $3 00 ₩ brl.

TURNIPS—Loose Northern at 50@75c ₩ bu.; on orders $2 50 ₩ brl.

GREEN DRIED PEAS—Selling at $1 50@1 60, brl weevily much lower.

WHITE BEANS—choice Quotable at $3 25@3 35 ₩ bu.

APPLES—Quote choice sound (small, inferior and scrubby much lower): Eastern $3 50@4 25; Romanits $3@3 50; Michigan mixed $3 50@4 52; Baldwin and Pennock $3 25@3 75; willow twig $3 50@4 00; geneting $2 75@3; Ben Davis $4 50@5 ₩ brl.

TROPICAL FRUITS — Sales, repackex; Oranges $8@9 ₩ brl; lemons $5 00@5 50 ₩ box; Malago grapes $8@11 ₩ brl. bananas on orded: $2@3 50 ₩ bunch; cocoanuts $5@35 ₩ 1,000.

CALIFORNIA FRUIT—On orders—Pears 50 $3@4 50 ₩ box

GRASS SEED—Timothy at $2 40@2 50 white millet 95c@$1 05; German do $1 25@1 35. Hungarian 65@75; red top 60@65; clover $5@5 10.

CRANBERRIES—Western $5 50@7; Eastern $9 50@10 ₩ brl.

DRIED FRUIT—We quote: Peaches, 6@6½c for mixed; 6¾@7 for choice to fancy halves; apples 5¾@6 for dark; 6¼@6¾ for fair to prime.

HEMP SEED—Nominal $1 35 for primenative.

FLAX SEED—Salable at $1 37@1 38, on basis of pure.

CASTOR BEANS—Quote $1 75 for prime.

VEALS—Live at 3@4c for heretics; 6¼ for choice small fat.

SAUER KRAUT—On orders city $11 ₩ brl. halves $6; country nominal.

HONEY—Extracted 11¼@12¾ in cans 9 in brls and hf brls; comb 18@22.

FEATHERS—Prime live geese 47@48, outside for small sks; unripe quilly 38@42; mixed 15@30. Tare 3 per cent on large, 10 on small sks.

HICKORYNUTS—40@50 for large, 65@75 small

PEANUTS—Red 3¼@4; white 4¼@5.

PECANS—Western 8@9; Texas 9¼@10¾.

WOOL—We quote: Tub washed—Fancy 39½; Choice 38½; dingy and low 35@37½; unwashed choice medium 24@25; fair medium 22@23; coarse and low grade 18@21; light fine 22@24; heavy do 16@20; burry, black and clotted 5@10 less; Southern burry 10@12.

FURS—Quotations nominal: Raccoon—No. 1 55, No. 2 40, No 3 20, No. 4 10. Skunk—Black 60, short stripe 40, narrow stripe 25, white stripe 10. Mink—No. 1 40, No. 2 30, No. 3 20, No. 4 10. Fox—Grey 60, red 75. Cat—Pole 5@10, wild 15@20, house 5@10. Otter 50c to $6. Bear $2 to $7. Beaver 50c to $1 75. Badger 20@25. Opossum 5@10. Fall muskrat 3@7.

SCRAP IRON, ETC.—We quote ₩ 100 lbs Wrought $1 10, heavy cast 80; stove 60c; plows 80; burnt 20. Brass—Heavy $14; light $8. Copper—Light $12@13; heavy $15. Bones—$16@17; Dry Buffalo $20.

CHESTNUTS—10@14c ₩ lb.

HAZELNUTS—Nominal at 2@2½ ₩ lb.

WALNUTS—Worth 45@50 per bu.

RAGS—Country mixed 2@2.1b; grass rope 2¾.

HOPS—New crop $1@32.

BROOMCORN—Sells at 4¼@6¾.

POP CORN—2¼@3c, top rate for choice white

RIDES—Quote: Green salted 8¼; damaged 6¾; uncured 7; damaged do 5¼ @6; bulls and stags 5¾; damaged 5; green salted calf 11; damaged do 10; No. 1 dry salted 12; damaged do 10; No. 1 dry flint 16¼@16½; No. 2 do 13¾@13½; glue stock, dry 5, green 3.

SHEEP PELTS—We quote: green shearings 10@40; pelts 60@85c according to amount of wool on them.

ROOTS—We quote: Ginseng $1 60@1 90; Seneca 35@40; blue flag 4¼@5; blood roots 3@4; golden seal 6@7; snake 10@12; black 5@9; May apple 3; pink 12@15; Orawley 25; lady slippers 10@12¾; bitter-sweet bark 5@6.

BEESWAX—Prime at 19@20c.

DEERSKINS—We quote: No 1, 44@45; damp, meaty, etc., 30@35; green 18@20; green salted 12¾@15.

MOSS—We quote: Gray-mixed 2¼@3¼; gray and brown mixed 2¾@3¾; brown and black 4@5; all black 4@5; machine-picked, on orders: XXXX—black 8¾ to 9; XXX—black mixed 7¼ to 8; XX -brown mixed 6¾@7; X—gray to brown @5¼. Round lots shaded ¼ to 1c ₩ lb.

COOPERAGE—Flour brls, city elm, 40@42; country 35; city oak 44; country do 36. Pork brls $1 05@1 10 del; lard tierces $1 25@1 35 del, lard kegs 40@50; bacon casks $1 75; half-casks 85@$1; ham tierces, small 60; large 70. Whisky brls, iron-bound, 6 hoop, $140@1 60, 8 hoop $1 65@1 80; half brls $1 25.

COOPERSTUFF—Shave hoops, country flour brl, $5 50; choice cooper shaved $7 25@7 50; pork brl $11@12; lard tierce do $12@14; casks $20@25; half cask $13@15. Staves (car lots E. side), machine flour brl, oak $8 50@9; elm $8 25. Heading (car lots East side), soft wood 6; hard do 7. Whisky brl (with heading) green $15; dry half $22, casks $10 50@12; hhd $24@28; dry half hhds $18@18; green tierce $14; dry $16; dry beer keg $9@$28, green $15@20.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HEMP—We quote common to good undressed $90@100; prime undressed hemp $105@120; dressed hemp, $160@190; shorts $125@150; hackled tow $50@60 per ton.

RYE FLOUR—$3 00@3 25 del; in small lots on orders 25@30c higher.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Choice Eastern jobs at $3 25@3 50; Western at $3 75@3 ₩ brl.

CORNMEAL—Sells on orders at $3 40@3 45 del; grits, hominy and pearl meal $3 25.

TOBACCO—We quote: Old style—Inferior and common dark lugs $4 00@4 50; fair to good do $4 75@5 25 common to good bright smoking lugs $5 00@6 00; inferior nondescript leaf $4 50@6 00; common dark leaf $5 50@6 50; medium do do $6 75@7 50; medium red leaf $7 75@8 00; good to fine $8 50@9. Burley—Common to fair lugs $4 50@5 25; good $5 50@7; common leaf, $7 50@10 50; medium do $12 00@15 00; good to fine do $16@20. Wrapping leaf—common half bright $10@13; medium do $15@18; medium bright $20@25; fine bright $25@35; fine unsound and light weight lugs sell at about 25@30 ₩ 100 lbs less.

METALS.

Soft Lead.

Pig lead, large ..... 5½ | Bar lead 5¾

Coke Tin Plate.

IC, 10x20 ..... $10 00 | IC, 14x20 ..... $6 00
IC, 10x14 ..... 6 00

Block Tin.

Large pigs ..... 34 | Small pigs 35
Bar Tin 36

Charcoal Tin Plate.

IC, 10x14 ..... $7 00 | IX, 14x20 ..... $9 00
IC, 12x15 ..... 7 00 | IXX, 14x20 ..... 11 00
IC, 14x20 ..... 7 00 | IXXX, 14x20 ..... 12 00
IX, 10x14 ..... 9 00 | IXXXX, 14x20 ..... 15 00
IX, 12x15 ..... 9 00 | IX, 20x28 ..... 19 00

Roofing Tin.

IC, 10x20 ..... $ 6 50 | ID, 20x28 ..... $13 50
IC, 14x20 ..... 8 50 | IX, 20x28 ..... 17 50

Steel Fence Wire.

Always put up in 100-lb bundles.

Nos. 7, 8 and 9 fence, ₩ lb net 4
Nos. 10 to 11, grape trellis, ₩ lb net 5
No. 12, grape trellis, ₩ lb net 6½

Solder.

No. 1, ₩ lb ..... 14 | Charter Oak ₩ lb 15½

Babbitt Metal.

No. 1 ..... 16 | No. 2 12
No. 3 ..... 8 | No. 4 7

SHEET IRON.

Charter Oak Iron.

No. 24, 24 and 30 in. wide, 100, in. long, ₩ lb 4
No. 26, 24 and 30 " 100, in. " " 5
No. 27, 24 and 30 " 100, in. " " 5

Russia Sheet Iron.

GENUINE.

Nos 8 to 13 ..... ₩ lb. 12@13

Boiled Iron.

₩ lb. | ₩ lb.
No. 18 to 20 ..... 4.85 | No. 26 ..... 5 05
No. 22 to 24 ..... 4 85 | No. 27 ..... 5¼

Galvanized Wire.

Nos. 7, 8 and 9 ..... 10 | Nos. 10 and 11 11
No. 12 ..... 11½

Bessemer Steel Baling Wire.

No. 9, ₩ 100 lbs ..... $3 00 | Nos. 10 and 11 ..... $3 50
No. 12 ..... 3 75 | No. 14 ..... 7 00

Fence Staples.

Per keg 5
Per lb 5½
No. 12 coppered 6
Stretchers ..... ₩ doz. $2 00

Galvanized Sheet Iron.
(Morehead & Co.'s Juniata.)

Per lb. | Per lb.
No. 18 to 20 ..... 13 | No. 22 to 24 13
No. 26 ..... 14 | No. 27 15
No. 28 16

Discount — per cent.

Sheet Zinc.

600 lb casks ..... 7.85 | 100 lb casks 8.35
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Planished Copper—Boiler Sizes

No. 7, 14 oz., 14x9 } large, 14x62 } ..... ₩ lb 37
8, 14 oz., 14x56 } Nickel plated, ₩ lb 47
9, 16 oz., 14x60 }
Tinning per sheet, 6 and 7 13
" 8 and 9 15

GROCERIES.

Rice.

Carolina, good, ₩ lb ..... 8 | Carolina, prime, ₩ lb 7¾
Carolina, choice, " ..... 8 | Carolina, fair, " 7

Coffee.

Common Rio ..... 11¾@12 | Prime Rio ..... 13¾@14¾
Fair Rio ..... 12¾@13¾ | Choice Rio ..... 15 @16
Mexican ..... @15 | Maracaibaling 28
Good O. G. Java ..... 27 @30 | Mocha 27½
Prime do ..... 25 | La Guara 13¾

Common Salt.

Ohio River H. R. ₩ bl ..... | Calico Michigan $1 50

Cheese.

Per lb. | Per lb.
Buffalo brand ..... 16 | N. Y. Fac. Cream 13
Swiss, genuine ..... 27 | Swiss, imitation ..... 20@21
Pine apple ..... 27 | N. Y. America 17

IMPERIAL.

No. 1 ..... 30 | No. 3 45
No. 2 ..... 40 | No. 4 50
No. 5 ..... 55 | No. 5 65

SUPERFINE.

No. 1 ..... 45 | No. 5 60
No. 2 ..... 50 | No. 6 65
No. 3 ..... 55 | No. 7 70
No. 4 ..... 60 | No. 8 90

JAPAN.

No. 1 ..... 22 | No. 3 30
No. 2 ..... 40 | No. 4 50
No. 5 ..... 56 | No. 6 60

YOUNG HYSON.

No. 1 ..... 40 | No. 3 45
No. 2 ..... 50 | No. 4 62

OOLONG.

No. 1 ..... 30 | No. 4 50
No. 2 ..... 37 | No. 5 62
No. 3 42

ENGLISH BREAKFAST OR SOUCHONG.

No. 1 ..... 35 | No. 2 55

Sugar—Refined.

New Orleans C ..... 9½ | Eastern St'rd Gr'd 10¼
" extra C ..... 9¾ | " powdered 11½
" A ..... 10 | " refinery c's 11¾

Nuts.

Almonds, ₩ lb ..... 18@22 | Peanuts, raw, choice
Brazil, ₩ lb ..... 6¾@9 | white ₩ lb 8
Filberts, Sicily ..... 12@14 | Peanuts, roasted, white
Pecans, Texas ₩ lb ..... 11½@13 | ₩ lb 10
" Ind. Ter. " 10 @12 | Walnuts, Naples, lb 18@19

Fruits—Foreign.

Currants, 1881 ..... 6¾@ 7½ | London layers ..... $ 10
Figs, boxes ..... 16 | Muscatels 3 00
Figs, pill boxes ..... 50 | Citron, Leghorn 19
Prunes ..... 7¾@8¾ | Dates, new black ..... 8@9¼
Raisins, layers, ₩ box ..... 2 90 | Lemon peel 18
" " ½box 1

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LOCAL NEWS.

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To suit everybody at Simmons Hardware Company.

A DELICACY. Whole Ox Tongue canned by the St. Louis Beef Canning Company.

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It is beyond a doubt that Swope's carry more styles and the largest stock of any retail boot and shoe house in the world.

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AS James Gordon Bennett, Jr., said to Napoleon III., "All experiments are bold, your Majesty," so B. Nugent & Bro. say now, let the consequences be what they may: We will try the experiment of running a first-class, strictly dry goods store in St. Louis.

You can get a better shoe for the same money at Swope's than in any other house in the city.

THE RAILWAYS.

A Series of Important Meetings Announced.

The Thos. A. Scott Memorial—Restraining the N. Y. C. & St. L—Wages Going Up.

The new time table of the Vandalia Road goes into effect on Sunday next. Besides the shortening up of the time to New York it is expected that an important change will be made in the train now leaving St. Louis at 3 o'clock for Effingham. It is proposed to start this train at 7 o'clock in the morning and run it through to Indianapolis, but this change has not been fully decided upon.

To-morrow the representatives of the different roads centreing in Indianapolis will meet in that city for the purpose of adjusting rates. It is probable that a pool will be formed. There are now twelve roads running out of Indianapolis, and as there has been no arrangement between those lines the cutting has been simply frightful. It has gone so far that none of the roads can make any money. The chances are numerous that all the rates out of Indianapolis will be stiffened considerably.

The trouble at Indianapolis is very similar to that at Kansas City and other Missouri River points, where the cutting recently has been severe enough to make the average railroad man shudder to think about it. There will be a meeting of the roads interested in Chicago on December 16th, to attempt to tone things up. It was the original purpose to hold this meeting in Kansas City, but all the parties in interest will be in Chicago on that date, after attending the regular commission meeting called by Commissioner Dixon for December 15th. It is not considered at all likely that anything will be done for the Missouri River rates just yet. None of the roads have had quite fighting enough.

This meeting in Chicago on the 16th must not be confounded with the meeting of the Southwestern Association in St. Louis on the last Wednesday of December. The Southwestern people will simply tackle the problem of the proper increased allotments to the Missouri Pacific, caused by its assimilation of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas and a couple of small roads.

On December 15 there will be a meeting of passenger agents in Chicago at which a St. Louis delegation, consisting of H. C. Townshend and Geo. M. Daniels, of the Wabash, D. B. Martin, of the I. & St. L., and John M. Chesbrough, of the Vandalia, will be present to agree on some general scheme for the abolition of the payment of commissions to ticket agents.

Mr. James McCabe, for a long time Assistant Superintendent of the Chicago and Northwestern, has accepted a call to the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe.

Some of the friends of the late Col. Thomas A. Scott, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, have received copies of a circular which has been addressed to all the friends of the deceased gentleman. This circular proposes that a memorial for perpetuating his memory be erected to be called the "Thos. A. Scott Memorial Church," the pews of which shall be free. The funds are to be mainly contributed by those associated with Col. Scott in the Pennsylvania Railroad, and the church will be mainly for the use of employes of the Pennsylvania road and their families. It is proposed to raise $50,000, buy the Grace Evangelical-Lutheran Church of Philadelphia, the pastor of which is thoroughly in accord with the movement, and make the necessary alterations. The fund will be in the custody of B. B. Cornegys, E. E. Rollins, Stephen A. Caldwell, Frank S. Bond and E. Harper Jeffries.

Some comment is made in the general offices in St. Louis over the remarks made in his annual report by Herbert Wallis, mechanical superintendent of the Grand Trunk Railway, as to the labor question on railways. Owing to the demand for men it has been necessary to increase the wages of employes of all classes, and the increase in pay to skilled labor is simply unprecedented. It is said that these remarks hold true on all the roads centering in St. Louis.

The Supreme Court of Pennsylvania has recently decided that injury to property by railroads includes consequential damages. This decision will cause much trouble to the New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railway, as a large number of property owners in Pennsylvania are seeking to restrain the road from further construction until bonds are given for consequential damages. The previous law of the State was altogether different.

Mr. R. S. Hayes, of the Missouri Pacific, is at present in New York.

Mr. John C. Gault, of the Wabash, has been spending most of the time since the accident up at the St. Charles bridge. He has a fine photograph of the wreck in his office, which shows that the water has now almost covered all the debris. The engine and almost all the cars are completely out of sight beneath the surface.

A new circular is expected on the Missouri Pacific to-morrow. Its tenor, however, is not known.

THE fairest faces are sometimes marred by myriads of pimples and markings of tetter or freckles, which are readily removed by a popular toilet dressing, known as Dr. Benson's Skin Cure. Even scrofulous ulcers yield to it.

Go to Cooper for clocks.

EAST ST. LOUIS.

Thos. Coleman, father of the young man murdered by Scharum a few days ago, was jailed last night for being drunk.

Judge Wm. Kase died at his residence at 2 o'clock last evening after a short illness. His funeral will take place to-morrow at 2 p. m. to Bellefontaine Cemetery.

Officer Cahill, who was assaulted by Burth Long on election day and received injuries which, at the time we pronounced fatal, is slowly recovering but is not yet out of danger. Dr. Winton, the attending physician, will lance the cheek to-morrow and is hopeful of the patient's speedy recovery.

An interseting case of assault and battery occupied the attention of Justice Lynn for several hours yesterday evening. T McLean and L. Lawson were the parties to the suit. Each claimed that the other made a murderous assault upon him with an iron poker. Strong swearing was indulged in freely on both sides, but the Justice decided in favor of McLean.

Archie Hamilton, an old resident of the Island, met with a severe accident last evening which may terminate fatally. Mr Hamilton was working as a carpenter on the new Advance elevator and fell to the ground, a distance of about forty feet, striking on his head and shoulders. When taken up he was unconscious and breathing with difficulty. He was carried to his home on the Island and a physician summoned, but owing to the serious nature of the injuries an opinion was not ventured. Hamilton is in a very critical condition this morning. His head and shoulders were severely bruised and it is thought he sustained internal injuries. Little hope is entertained for his recovery.

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The Good Old Times!

When I was quite a little boy I remember how upon one bright Christmas morning I found an elegant buckhorn-handle Congress pocket knife in my stocking. With what emotions of pride my bosom swelled as I looked upon its shining blade; the pleasure I received from knowing myself the owner of that knife will never be effaced from my memory. Now, why not give your child the same pleasure by going at once to Simmons Hardware Company and buying one of their imported pocket-knives for your boy and putting it in his stocking? You will find over 1,000 patterns to select from, at prices from 25 cents upwards, at

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JUST IMAGINE!
A solid pair of Gold Spectacles
For $5,
And a handsome case included,
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Have your diamonds set at Cooper's.

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RANGE OF PRICES:

Silk Embroidered by hand, Cloth or Velvet, : : : : $1 00 to $2 75
Chenille Embroidered by hand, Cloth or Velvet, : : : : $1 85 to $4 50

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STEWART & CO.,
918 Olive st., nearly opp. Pope's Theater.

THE WEATHER.

A Cold Spell Expected—Peculiar Phenomenon This Morning.

An extraordinary change in the weather is expected to-night, or at least before to-morrow. The stations in the Northwest report lower temperature this morning than at any time during the present season. The temperature of the weather taken at 7 o'clock at the Signal Service was 60 degrees above zero. A fall of 30 degrees will undoubtedly be experienced before nightfall. The wind at 11:15 this morning was west, gradually pushing around toward the northwest. This verifies the prediction made in the indications from Washington for the Mississippi that weather would change to cold before the next twenty-four hours. It will probably be too cold for snow. The following is a report of the stations in the northwest connected with the Signal Service office: Beaufort, Dakota, temperature 14 degrees below zero, weather clear; Bismarck, Dak., temperature 8 degrees below zero, weather clear; Morehead, Dak., temperature 2 degrees below zero, weather clear. This morning about 11:10 a very interesting and peculiar phenomenon was witnessed from the Signal Service office, in the action of the northwest wind encountering a southerly current, and producing upon the clouds with which the sky was then overcast a very marked and decided outline extending from about 10 degs. from the horizon. While that portion of clouds which was already acted upon by this coming current was of a very light appearance, the other portion, which nearly covered the entire sky, presented a darkish, slate-colored appearance. In about five minutes the uniform expanse of cumulo-stratus cloud was observed.

THERMOMETERS
In all styles.
Barometers
In all shapes,
At Alve Hernstein & Co.,
Optical establishment,
Fourth and Olive streets.

Our French Visitors.

The French visitors were much fatigued last evening and were late in rising. The day was spent about the hotel. At 3 p. m. the Arsenal Band arrived at the hotel and discoursed sweet tunes from the balcony. The concert will continue until 6 p. m., when the welcoming visitors from the Irish and American societies are due. Speeches will be made, and the descendants of Lafayette will be bidden bon voyage. The procession will then be formed, headed by the Arsenal Band, and with the Wolf Tone Rifles and the Emmet Guards as an escort of honor. The start for the Union Depot will be made shortly after 6 p. m., and the distinguished guests will take their departure for New Orleans.

JACK of all trades—master of none. We devote our attention to the dry goods trade.

B. NUGENT & BRO.

The Duke of Durham.

R. H. Wright, of the W. Duke Sons & Co., is now in our city, fresh from the Pacific Slope, the land of gilded fortunes. He is in quest of Fletcher Matthews, the popular agent of the Genuine Duke of Durham Smoking Tobacco, Cigarettes and Long Cut. The success of the Duke granulated in this market leaves no doubt but that the Cigarettes will prove more so. Under the indomitable push of both Mr. Wright and Mr. Matthews combined, success is assured.

IT would seem that an exclusively dry goods store can do some business in St. Louis, to judge by the crowds that daily visit the establishment of B. NUGENT & BRO.

BARGAINS in gold chains at Cooper's.

THE celebrated Erlanger beer, brewed by the Anheuser Busch Brewing Association especially for this establishment, will be on tap to-day and every day hereafter.

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Fairley, the Grocer,

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1-lb Oysters Standard, best	$ 10	$1 15
1-lb Mackerel	10	1 20
1-lb Salmon, Columbia River	15	1 70
1-lb Salmon, Sacramento River	13	1 50
1-lb Lobsters	15	1 75
1-lb Clams Little Neck	15	1 70
1-lb Eels, Fried Brooks	20	2 25
1-lb Shrimps	28	3 15
2-lb Oysters	18	2 10
2-lb Salmon	25	2 75
2-lb Clams, Little Neck	25	2 70
2-lb Peaches	18	2 10
2 lb Raspberries	15	1 70
2-lb Pineapple	20	2 30
2-lb Cherries	16	1 85
2-lb Pears, Bartlett's	15	1 70
2-lb Tomatoes	10	1 20
2-lb String Beans, extra	15	1 65
2-lb Peas, soaked	10	1 10
2-lb Peas, marrow ats	15	1 70
2-lb Peas, early	25	2 75
2-lb Peas, French	25	2 90
2-lb Strawberries	15	1 75
2-lb Blackberries	15	1 50
2-lb Challenge Corn	10	1 20
2-lb Mountain Corn	14	1 65
2-lb Yarmouth Corn	15	1 75
2-lb Winslow Corn	15	1 75
2-lb Oneida	20	2 25
2 lb Lobsters	25	2 75
2-lb Lima Beans	15	1 70
2-lb Mackerel	20	2 20
2-lb Codfish Balls	19	2 20
2-lb Peaches standard	27	3 10
3-lb Peaches, pie	18	2 10
3-lb Tomatoes	12	1 40
3-lb Apples	10	1 20
3-lb Boston Baked Beans	17	1 90
3-lb Asparagus, Oyster Bay	30	3 50
3-lb Golden Pumpkin	10	1 15
3-lb Rhubarb	15	1 75

Goods delivered to any part of the city and railroad depots free. Send for monthly price list to

JAS. P. FAIRLEY.

NOTARIES PUBLIC.

List of Those That Have Qualified Under the Law of 1881.

Crawford, T. L., U. S. Circuit Clerk's office, Post Office Building.
Dyer, Trusten P., Notary and Attorney, 417 Pine.
Jonas M. B., 219 N. Fifth, room 23.
Kappner, I. G., 111 N. Fifth street.
Lathrop, Joseph, 411 N. Third, room 3.
Newman, H. A., Room 10, Temple Building.
O'Neill, John J., 609 Locust; res. Boston & Spring
Picot, L. D., 517 Pine street,
Robertson, Julius, 515 Olive; residence 3037 Morgan.
Stevenson, J. C. H., 720 Pine; res. 2109 Walnut st.

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All styles of binding, lettering on books, etc.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A MEETING of the stockholders of the South St. Louis Railway Company is hereby convened at their office in the People's Theater building, corner Sixth and Walnut streets, in the city of St. Louis, at 4 p. m., January 26, 1882, to vote upon the proposition to fund and increase the present bonded indebtedness of said company to one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, or any less sum, as may be determined at such meeting, and for such other purposes as may be brought before such stockholders.

M. A. WOLFF, President.
JNO. H. TERRY, Secretary.

NOTICE—For the purpose of providing money for improvement of road bed and equipments, paying the floating debt of the company, and for such other lawful purposes as may be directed, notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Benton Bellefontaine Railway Company on Tuesday, the 8th day of December, 1881, at 9 a. m., at the office of the company, to vote upon an increase of the capital stock of the company to four hundred thousand dollars.

GEO. H. CHASE,
CHAS. PARSONS,
GEO. E. LEIGHTON,
Directors.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 3, 1881.

OWNERS OF THE PLANTERS' HOUSE.—There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Planters' House held on Thursday, December 15, at 11 o'clock a. m., at the office of J. B. C Lucas, No. 808 Chestnut street. All stockholders are requested to be present in person or by proxy, as matters of much importance, requiring the action of a majority of stock, will be submitted.

HY. L. PATTERSON, Secretary.

St. Louis, December 3, 1881.

ELECTION NOTICES.

THE annual election for president, vice-president, five directors, treasurer and secretary of the St. Louis Club will be held at the Club House, 1532 Washington ave., St. Louis, Mo., on Saturday, December 17, 1881. Polls will be open from 9 a. m. to 7 p. m. By order of the Board of Directors.

JOHN T. DAVIS, President.

THE Third National Bank of St. Louis, December 8, 1881.—The regular annual election for nine (9) directors of this bank will be held on Tuesday, January 10, 1882, at the banking rooms. Polls open from 12 m. until 2 o'clock p. m.

T. A. STODDART, Cashier.

REAL ESTATE.

JOHN MAGUIRE,

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OVERCOATS.	ULSTERETTES.	BUSINESS SUITS.

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Heiena Welzenecker, Joseph Welzenecker, Elizabeth A. Auer, Andrew Auer, Augustus Trorlicht, Emma Bolsaller, —Bolsaller, Edward Trorlicht, John H. Trorlicht, Florence Roedler Oliver Roedler, Eugene Roedler, Charles H. Rodler, Christopher J. Schiller, trustee of heirs of Peter Welzenecker, and Charles H. Chapin guardian ad litem for Florence, Oliver and Eugene Roedler, minors, are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. Two lots of ground on Rappahannock street in city block 1442, each 30 feet in front or width, and 642 feet 4 inches in length or depth, being in Welzenecker's addition to said city, and bounded on the north by real estate of one Trorlicht and others, on the east by Arkansas avenue, on the south by Rappahannock street, on the west by proposed Vandeberg avenue.

No. 2. A lot of ground on proposed Vandeberg avenue, in city block 1442, 30 feet in front or width and 320 feet in length or depth, being in Welzenecker's addition to said city, and bounded on the north by real estate of one Trorlicht and others, on the east by Arkansas avenue, on the south by Rappahannock street, on the west by proposed Vandeberg avenue.

No. 3. A lot of ground on proposed Vandeberg avenue, in city block 1442, 30 feet in front or width and 765 feet in length or depth, being in Welzenecker's addition to said city, and bounded on the north by Powhattan street, on the east by proposed Arkansas avenue, on the south by real estate of one Roedler, on the west by proposed Vandeberg avenue.

No. 4. A lot of ground on Rappahannock street, in city block 1445, 30 feet in front or width and 642 feet in length or depth, being in Welzenecker's addition to said city, and bounded on the north by Powhattan street, on the east by Vandeberg avenue, on the south by Rappahannock street, on the west by real estate of one Roedler and others.

No. 6. A lot of ground on Grand avenue in city block 1445, 30 feet in front or width and 269 feet 6¾ inches in length or depth, being in Welzenecker's addition to said city, and bounded on the north by Powhattan street, on the east by Vandeberg avenue, on the south by real estate of Trorlicht and others, on the west by Grand avenue.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., November 15, 1881. 54W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Charles Henry Wiese, Fred Wunderer, John G. Schulze are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Gravois road, 55 feet in front or width, and 128 feet in length or depth, being in township 44, range 6, survey 2177, and bounded on the north by real estate of one Mudd, on the east by Gravois road, on the south and west by real estate of one Ude.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 23D DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 29, 1881. 43Z

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Margaret A. Gibos, Della Gibbs, Huntington Smith are defendants, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. A lot of ground on Seventeenth avenue, 49 feet 6 inches in front or width, and 150 feet in length or depth, being lot 1 in block 10 in South St. Louis suburbs.

No. 2. A lot of ground on Seventeenth avenue, 30 feet 10 inches in front or width and 150 feet in length or depth, being lot 11 in block 10 in South St. Louis suburbs.

No. 3. A lot of ground on Eighteenth avenue, 49 feet 7 inches in front or width and 150 feet in length or depth, being lot 1 in block 11 in South St. Louis suburbs.

No. 4. Eight lots of ground on Eighteenth avenue, each 30 feet 10 inches in front or width, and 15 feet in length or depth, being lots 2, 5, 8, 9, 13, 38, 39 and 40 in block 11 in South St. Louis suburbs.

No. 5. Three lots of ground on Ninth street, in city block 3139, each 25 feet in front or width, and 147 feet 6 inches in length or depth, being lots 5, 6 and 7 in block 47 in survey 2.

No. 6. A lot of ground on Eighth street, in city block 3102, 25 feet in front or width, and 140 feet in length or depth, being lot 4 in block 20 in Ivory's addition to said city.

No. 7. A lot of ground on Eighth street, in city block 3102, 26 feet in front or width and 140 feet in length or depth, being lot 1 in block 20 in survey 4.

No. 8. Three lots of ground on Eighth street, in city block 3102, each 25 feet in front or width and 140 feet in length or depth, being lots 2, 11 and 14 in block 20 in survey 4.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 17, 1881. 32W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and James Booth, William J. Howard, M. B. O'Reilly, trustee, are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Hebert street, 33 feet 2 inches in front or width, and 150 feet in length or depth, being the north part of lot 6 in block 27 in Lowell's addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 18, 1881. 51W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Abraham Herbel is defendant,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Ninth street in city block 2915, 30 feet 10 inches in front or width and 150 feet in length or depth, being lot 21 in block 18 in North St. Louis suburbs addition to said city.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 17, 1881. 34W

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—John Nieters vs. Mary Brockmann, formerly Mary Woeste, and Henry Brockmann, her husband, and Mina Brokel.

By virtue and authority of a decree and order of sale issued from the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court in the above entitled cause, dated April the 27th, 1881, I will, on

TUESDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, situated, lying and being in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots numbered two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), in city block number 2396 in Frederick Stuewe's addition to West Bremen, having an aggregate front on the west side of Twenty-first street of 250 feet, more or less, by a depth westwardly of 147 feet 9 inches, more or less, to an alley 15 feet wide, bounded on the north by land of N. F. W. Beutzen, east by Twenty-first street, south by land of William C. and A. R. Taylor, and west by an alley.

Also lots number twenty (20) and twenty-one (21) in city block number 2397 in said addition, having an aggregate front of 49 feet and 3 inches more or less on the east side of Twenty-first street by a depth eastwardly of 127 feet 6 inches to an alley, 15 feet wide, bounded on the north by land of N. F. W. Beutzen, east by an alley, south by lot number 19 of said addition and west by Twenty-first street, all of said land situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the city of St. Louis.
St. Louis, November 22, 1881. 29Z

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Mary M. Able and her husband, Daniel Able, Clifton W. Able, Charles B. Able, Mary E. Able and Samuel T. Able, children of said Mary M. and Daniel Able, and M. B. Jonas, guardian ad litem for said minors, Charles B. Able, Mary B. Able and Samuel T. Able, are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of parcel of ground on Claggett avenue of said city, containing 510-100 acres of land, being the west part of blocks No. 39, No. 40, and No. 41 of Vine Grove place or addition to said city of St. Louis.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 18, 1881. 37W

SHERIFF'S SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST.—Whereas Adam Ousley and Nancy Ousley by their certain deed of trust, dated the 23d day of February, 1878, and recorded in book 559, page 264, of the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the city of St. Louis, Missouri, conveyed to R. W. Bailey, as trustee, the following described lot or parcel of ground, lying and being in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, to-wit:

Lot numbered eight (8) in block numbered twenty-five (25) of survey number four (4), said lot having a front of twenty-seven and 3 inches on the east side of Seventh street and running thence east the same width one hundred and forty feet to an alley, said lot being bounded as follows: West by Seventh street, north by lot No. 7, east by said alley, south by lot No. 9, being in block 25 of survey 4 as represented on the plat of said subdivision made in 1854 and of record in the Recorder's office of the then county of St. Louis, being now in city block No. 3110 of said city of St. Louis.

In trust to secure the payment of a certain note in said deed of trust provided that in case of the death or absence from the State, or other disability or refusal to act of the said R. W. Bailey, the Sheriff of the city of St. Louis should thereupon become the successor of said R. W. Bailey to the title of said property, and that the same should be fully vested in said Sheriff for the purpose mentioned in said deed of trust; and whereas since the execution of said deed of trust said R. W. Bailey has died. Now, therefore, under the provisions of said deed of trust and at the request of the holder of said note, the undersigned, Isaac M. Mason, Sheriff of the city of St. Louis, acting as trustee, will proceed to sell the above described property, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the east front door of the Court-house, in said city of St. Louis, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881,

or the purposes of said trust.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, acting as Trustee.
COLLINS & JAMISON, Attorneys, 322 Pine st.
St. Louis, November 17, 1881. 67W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Hannah M. Osgood, William B. Osgood, William Lee, Thomas P. Davison, Ann Davison, Maria Cowan, Eugene Parmer, and Henry Hitchcock, administrator of the estate of J. P. Davison, deceased, are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 2. A lot of ground on Ninth street in city block 2889, 26 feet 10½ inches in front or width and 150 feet in length or depth, being lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19 in block 45 in South St. Louis Suburbs addition to said city.

No. 3. A lot of ground on Ninth street in city block 2889, 26 feet 10½ inches in front or width and 150 feet in length or depth, being lot 20 in block 45 in South St. Louis Suburbs Addition to said city.

No. 3. A lot of ground on Tenth street in city block 2889, 26 feet 10½ inches in front or width and 150 feet in length or depth, being lot 1 in block 45 in South St. Louis Suburbs addition to said city.

No. 4 Nine lots of ground on Tenth street, each 30 feet 10½ inches in front or width and 150 feet in length or depth, being lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 in block 45 in South St. Louis Suburbs addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 23D DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, November 23, 1881. 43Z

SHERIFF'S SALE —By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Mary Freund is defendant,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill, on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. A lot of ground on Charles road, 25 feet in front or width and 125 feet in length or depth, being the east half of lot 6 in block 1 in Prairie Place addition to said city.

No. 2. A lot of ground on Victoria street, 25 feet in front or width and 125 feet in length or depth, being the east half of lot 7 in block 1 in Prairie Place Addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 18, 1881. 58W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Mary L. Taylor, James K. Taylor, William F. Taylor, Philip V. Taylor, Mary L. Taylor and M. F. Taylor, Huntington Smith are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. A lot of ground on Twenty-first street, in city block 1247, 31 feet 9 inches in front or width and 127 feet 6 inches in length or depth, being lot 32 in block 8 in West Bremen addition to said city.

No. 2. A lot of ground on "reserved strip," in city block 1741, 25 feet in front or width and 45 feet in length or depth, being in Rocky Branch addition to said city, and bounded on the north by Penrose tract, on the east by real estate of one Schwander, on the south by an alley, on the west by the real estate of one Nlonzy and others.

No. 3. A lot of ground on Harrison street, in city block 307, on Harrison street, each 40 feet in front or width and 134 feet in length or depth, being lots 7, 8 and 9 in Butchers' and Drovers' addition to said city.

No. 4. Three lots of ground in city block 307, on Harrison street, each 40 feet in front or width and 134 feet in length or depth, being lots 3, 4 and 5 in Butchers' and Drovers' addition to said city.

No. 5. Two lots of ground on Harrison street, in city block 663 west, each 40 feet in front or width and 134 feet in length or depth, being lots 9 and 10 in Butchers' and Drovers' addition to said city.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 21, 1881. 22Z

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Peter Delore, Edmund Delore, James Delore, Sarah Euge, John Euge, Mary Forder, Charles Forder, Mary B. Hall, Charles E. Pourcelli, trustee, are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground in Carondelet commons fields, in survey 95, township 44, range 7, containing four and 60-100 acres, and bounded on the north by a road, on the east by real estate of one Beckerle, on the south by that of one Steffens, on the west by that of one Delore and others.

And I will, on

MONDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 19, 1881. 82Z

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December Term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Annie Dolan, Mary C. Dolan, Edward C. Kehr, Annie Dolan, Frank Lunt, John W. O'Connell, Edward C. Kehr, trustee, and M. B. Jonas, guardian ad litem for Mary T. Dolan, are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Sarah street in city block 1938, 25 feet in front or width, and 125 feet in length or depth, being lot 8 in block 14 in Toney's addition to said city.

And I will, on

MONDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 19, 1881. 10Z

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Catherine Dondoe, Catharine Johnson, Joseph H. Tiernan, Henry J. Johnson, Levi Storitz and Leo Rassieur, trustee, are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Eighth street in city block 253, 16 feet 6 inches in front or width and 64 feet 4 inches in length or depth, and bounded on the north by real estate of one Donohoe, on the east by an alley, on the south by real estate of one Donohoe and others, on the west by Eighth street.

And I will, on

MONDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 19, 1881. 9Z

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Thomas P. Duggan, Paul Ertelt, Michael B O'Reilly, trustee, William J. Howard are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. Two lots of ground on Ninth street in city block 2889, each 25 feet in front or width and 150 feet in length or depth, being lots 1 and 2 in block 45 in South St. Louis Suburbs addition to said city.

No. 2. A lot of ground on Ninth street in city block 2889, 26 feet 10½ inches in front or width and 150 feet in length or depth, being lot 20 in block 45 in South St. Louis Suburbs Addition to said city.

No. 3. A lot of ground on Tenth street in city block 2889, 26 feet 10½ inches in front or width and 150 feet in length or depth, being lot 1 in block 45 in South St. Louis Suburbs addition to said city.

No. 4 Nine lots of ground on Tenth street, each 30 feet 10½ inches in front or width and 150 feet in length or depth, being lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 in block 45 in South St. Louis Suburbs addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 23D DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 23, 1881. 38Z

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Michael Lehoux and City of St. Louis are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Ninth street in city block 1976 west, 25 feet in front or width and 129 feet 10 inches in length or depth, being lot 7 in block 2 in Warren's addition to said city.

And I will on

MONDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., November 19, 1881. 52Z

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Henry Klocke is defendant.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. A lot of ground on Louisiana avenue in city block 1741, 25 feet in front or width, and 302 feet in length or depth, being lot 17 in Rocky Branch addition to said city, and bounded on the north and south by real estate of said defendant, on the east by Louisiana avenue, on the west by block 2637.

No. 2. A lot of ground on Louisiana avenue in city block 2638, 10 feet in front or width, and 253 feet in length or depth, being in block 81 in Klock's addition to said city, and bounded on the north by real estate of said defendant, on the east by Louisiana avenue, on the south by Merimec avenue, on the west by block 2637.

And I will, on

THURSDAY, THE 29TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis. Mo., November 19, 1881. 72

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Peter Delore, Edmund Delore, James Delore, Sarah Euge, John Euge, Mary Forder, Charles Forder, Mary B. Hall, Charles E. Pourcelli, trustee, are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground in Carondelet commons fields, in survey 95, township 44, range 7, containing four and 60-100 acres, and bounded on the north by a road, on the east by real estate of one Beckerle, on the south by that of one Steffens, on the west by that of one Delore and others.

And I will, on

MONDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 19, 1881. 82

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December Term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Samuel Sommerville and the City of St. Louis are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. A lot of ground on Louisiana avenue in city block 1741, 25 feet in front or width, and 302 feet in length or depth, being lot 17 in Rocky Branch addition to said city, and bounded on the north and south by real estate of said defendant, on the east by Louisiana avenue, on the west by block 2637.

And I will, on

MONDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 19, 1881. 92

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Frank Lunt, John W. O'Connell, Edward C. Kehr, trustee, and M. B. Jonas, guardian ad litem for Mary T. Dolan, are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Sarah street in city block 1938, 25 feet in front or width, and 125 feet in length or depth, being lot 8 in block 14 in Toney's addition to said city.

And I will, on

MONDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 19, 1881. 10Z

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Catherine Johnson, Joseph H. Tiernan, Henry J. Johnson, Levi Storitz and Leo Rassieur, trustee, are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Eighth street in city block 253, 16 feet 6 inches in front or width and 64 feet 4 inches in length or depth, and bounded on the north by real estate of one Donohoe, on the east by an alley, on the south by real estate of one Donohoe and others, on the west by Eighth street.

And I will, on

MONDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 19, 1881. 9Z

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Thomas P. Duggan, Paul Ertelt, Michael B O'Reilly, trustee, William J. Howard are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. Two lots of ground on Nebraska avenue in city block 2600, each 25 feet in front or width and 124 feet 9 inches in length or depth, being lots 35 and 36 in block 1 in Alloway's addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 23D DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 23, 1881. 38Z

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Michael Richart and the City of St. Louis are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Twenty-first street, in city block 1247, 31 feet 9 inches in front or width and 127 feet 6 inches in length or depth, being lot 32 in block 8 in West Bremen addition to said city.

No. 2. A lot of ground on "reserved strip," in city block 1741, 25 feet in front or width and 45 feet in length or depth, being in Rocky Branch addition to said city, and bounded on the north by Penrose tract, on the east by real estate of one Schwander, on the south by an alley, on the west by the real estate of one Nlonzy and others.

No. 3. A lot of ground on Harrison street, in city block 307, on Harrison street, each 40 feet in front or width and 134 feet in length or depth, being lots 7, 8 and 9 in Butchers' and Drovers' addition to said city.

No. 4. Three lots of ground in city block 307, on Harrison street, each 40 feet in front or width and 134 feet in length or depth, being lots 3, 4 and 5 in Butchers' and Drovers' addition to said city.

No. 5. Two lots of ground on Harrison street, in city block 663 west, each 40 feet in front or width and 134 feet in length or depth, being lots 9 and 10 in Butchers' and Drovers' addition to said city.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 21, 1881. 22Z

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Richard Graham Frost, John M. Frost, Louisa Frost, Eva Frost, James R. Frost, Caroline Frost, Lillie Frost, Daniel M. Frost, John Waddell and John F. Lee trustees of Jane Molesworth, Jane Molesworth, Mary Hirschberg, Francis D. Hirschberg, Lewis W. Molesworth, B. F. Webster and F. G. Flanagan are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the

LEGAL.

Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Ignatz Hartman, Henry M. Berry, Samuel Bonner are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis, and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Two lots of ground on Fountain Park, each 60 feet in front or width, and in length or depth, 220 feet in the one part and 161 feet in the other part, being lot 25 in block 1 and lot 22 in block 5, in Aubert's Place addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 18, 1881. 49W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Conrad R. Stinde is defendant,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis, and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Lot No 60 in block 71 of survey No. 3, said lot being also in city block No. 3214 of the city of St. Louis, said lot having a front of 25 feet on Hurck street by a depth of 130 feet and 7 inches.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 18, 1881. 49W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and B. M. Chambers and Thomas Walsh are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. A lot of ground on Eighth street in city block 606, 45 feet 9 inches in length or width and 125 feet in length or depth, being lot 6.

No. 2. A lot of ground on Eleventh street, in city block 611, 150 feet in front or width and 127 feet 6 inches in length or depth, and bounded on the north by real estate of one Lachin, on the east by an alley, on the south by realty of the Mullanphy estate, on the west by Eleventh street.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 18, 1881. 49W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Jemima Lindell, Henry S. Turner and Wm. D. Griswold are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill, on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Wyoming street, in city block 691, 25 feet in front or width and 95 feet in length or depth, being lot 80 in continuation of Arsenal addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 18, 1881. 47W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Timothy Hickey, A. R. Taylor, trustee, city of St. Louis, are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. A lot of ground on Second street in city block 620, in front or width 75 feet in the one part and 49 feet in the other part, and 133 feet 2 inches in length or depth, and bounded on the north by Christy avenue, on the east by real estate of the Lindell estate, on the South by Washington avenue, on the west by real estate of one Allen.

And will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 18, 1881. 47W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Timothy Hickey, A. R. Taylor, trustee, city of St. Louis, are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Wyoming street, in city block 691, 25 feet in front or width and 95 feet in length or depth, being lot 80 in continuation of Arsenal addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 18, 1881. 46W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and B. M. Chambers and Thomas Walsh are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. A lot of ground on Second street in city block 688, 41 feet in front or width and 93 feet 3 inches in length or depth, being lot 9 in Lindell estate addition to said city.

No. 2. A lot of ground on Main street in city block No. 688, 42 feet inches in front or width and 93 feet 3 inches in length or depth, being lot 15 in Lindell's estate addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 18, 1881. 50W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Logan D. Dameron, William C. Jamison and Dorsey A. Jamison, trustee, are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. A lot of ground on Second street in city block 688, 41 feet in front or width and 93 feet 3 inches in length or depth, being lot 9 in Lindell estate addition to said city.

No. 2. A lot of ground on Main street in city block No. 688, 42 feet inches in front or width and 93 feet 3 inches in length or depth, being lot 15 in Lindell's estate addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 18, 1881. 49W

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1881, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Timothy Hickey, A. R. Taylor, trustee, city of St. Louis, are defendants.

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Wyoming street, in city block 691, 25 feet in front or width and 95 feet in length or depth, being lot 80 in continuation of Arsenal addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

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Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 18, 1881. 46W

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I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Wyoming street, in city block 691, 25 feet in front or width and 95 feet in length or depth, being lot 80 in continuation of Arsenal addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 18, 1881. 47W

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I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. A lot of ground on Second street in city block 688, 41 feet in front or width and 93 feet 3 inches in length or depth, being lot 9 in Lindell estate addition to said city.

No. 2. A lot of ground on Main street in city block No. 688, 42 feet inches in front or width and 93 feet 3 inches in length or depth, being lot 15 in Lindell's estate addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

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I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Wyoming street, in city block 691, 25 feet in front or width and 95 feet in length or depth, being lot 80 in continuation of Arsenal addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1881, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., November 18, 1881. 47